

Weather Forecasts

Victoria and vicinity: Winds chiefly southerly, generally fair, not much change in temperature, followed by showers Friday. Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and with some change in temperature, and showers on Friday.

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SETTLEMENT IS NOW ADJUSTED

Howe Sound and Northern Railway Acquired by the Pacific Great Eastern Company—Arrangement Satisfactory

HAS ENDORSATION OF SIR RICHARD MCBRIDE

Negotiations Completed Between Mr. W. P. Bull and Mr. D'Arcy Tate—High Tribute to Policy of Premier

The promise made by Sir Richard McBride, on the floor of the British Columbia legislature, when introducing his railway policy in February last, was by him effectively made good yesterday in the settlement of the difference which had arisen between the owners of the charter and general enterprise of the Howe Sound and Northern Railway Company and its possible antagonist, the Pacific and Great Eastern Company.

It was a difficult question with which the premier and his associates had to deal; but it was a problem, which, by the wise statesmanship of Sir Richard McBride and the tact of the representatives of the two principal parties interested, will meet with general approval.

As the result of negotiations, extending over some months, the purchase of the assets and the undertaking of the Howe Sound and Northern Railway Company, and the interests of the Pacific and Great Eastern Company, were acquired by the Pacific Great Eastern.

The Howe Sound and Northern Railway Company had opened up the Squamish Valley, using Newport as its Pacific coast terminus, and has from that point been extending its lines of railway, with the object of developing as much as possible the extension of the lumber industry, whilst at the same time developing and designing plans for the stretching out of colonization work of British Columbia.

The promoters of the Howe Sound and Northern Railway were in the first instance Messrs. J. C. Keith, of Victoria, J. McIlroy and J. C. Gill, of Vancouver. Their enterprise was a legitimate one, as it looked at the time when it was first undertaken, but since then many things have happened, and among them has been the arrival of new factors in the situation, new factors which have produced the satisfactory result announced today.

When Sir Richard McBride made his announcement of railway policy in February last, he contemplated a much larger policy, a much more rapid development than was contemplated by the promoters of the Howe Sound and Northern Railway Company, but the promoters of that company realized that the development of the provincial railway policy meant equal rights to all, whether colonists or city dwellers, and being assured that their rights would be amply protected, left them to the decision of the powers that control.

The board of the Pacific Great Eastern had been authorized by the provincial government. It was evident from the time that that guarantee was given that some action must be taken which would reconcile the claims of the Pacific Great Eastern with those of the Howe Sound and Northern, which had a federal charter.

For some months past, and prior to the arrival in Victoria of Mr. W. P. Bull, of London, Eng., negotiations had been carried on by representatives of the two railways interested. But three weeks ago the negotiations were handed over to Mr. Bull, and as a result of conferences between him, Mr. D'Arcy Tate and Sir Richard McBride, the problem was settled yesterday to the satisfaction of all concerned, and an agreement was signed in the premier's office last evening.

Premier's Statesmanship

Speaking to a Colonist representative last night, at the Empress hotel, Mr. Bull said that he had seen Sir Richard McBride in many capacities, not only in London, where he was sure from his own experience that the premier was looked upon not only as an imperial statesman, but as a great Canadian, and also in eastern Canada where he

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REVELSTOKE FAIR

Second Day Emphasizes the Success of Annual Event—Visitors Prove Too Small

REVELSTOKE, B. C., Oct. 9.—The second day of the big fall fair was a busy one. The weather was ideal and the town is full of visitors. The new exhibition buildings have proved quite inadequate to cope with the volume of entries, and the judges will not complete their labors until tomorrow.

Golden, Selkirk, Malakwa, Arrow Lake points are very largely represented by exhibits and visitors, many people also coming from Kamloops and intermediate points. The poultry exhibit excels anything ever seen here. The Revelstoke city band was in attendance all day, and some three thousand people passed the turnstiles.

Tonight the Progress Club entertained the visitors at a smoking concert at Selkirk hall.

INDUSTRY FOR VANCOUVER

Flour Milling Plant With a Capacity of 3,000 Barrels a Day

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—Mr. A. C. Ven Hagen, president of the United Flour Milling Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, has been in Vancouver for several days investigating conditions with a view of starting a flour mill in this city with a capacity of three thousand barrels a day. Mr. Van Hagen has been contracted for a large mill at Moose Jaw and has almost completed arrangements for another mill at Macleod.

HEAVY SALMON RUN FORECAST

Catch in 1916, Mr. J. P. Babcock Says, Will be Large—Great Number Reach Fraser River Spawning Grounds

Report as to the run of salmon to the spawning-beds of the Fraser river has been made to Hon. W. J. Bowser, Commissioner of Fisheries for the province, by Mr. John P. Babcock, fisheries expert of the department.

For the past six weeks Mr. Babcock has been inspecting the spawning grounds of the Fraser river watershed. During the greater portion of the time he was accompanied by Mr. D. N. McIntyre, the deputy commissioner. They visited Chilco, Quenest, Shuswap, Adams, Sten, Anderson, Lillooet, and Harrison lakes.

Mr. Babcock, in his interim report, states that more sockeye salmon reached the spawning grounds of the Fraser this year than in any other off year in the last ten years. With the exception of Shuswap and Adams lakes all the big lakes had a good run. The run to Chilco, Quenest and the other lakes at the head of the watershed was early. The first fish were reported in the Chilcoot river as early as July 27, and the first reached Quenest July 28. The Chilcoot Indians caught July 28, 50,000 sockeye at the three canyons in that river.

Surpasses Any Off Year. The run to Seton lake this season was greater than in any "off year" since the hatchery was established in 1903. Upwards of 2000 fish passed into Seton lake early in July, and being too "green" were not deposited in the hatchery weirs in Lake Creek. During the last two weeks in September sockeye again began to enter the hatchery weirs at Seton lake, and when Mr. Babcock left the hatchery on duty they were still running. That date the hatchery at Seton lake contained over 1,500,000 of red spring salmon eggs, and over 5,000,000 of sockeye eggs, with the collection still being made. This is the best off-year record at that hatchery.

Hatchery is Filled

The hatchery at Pemberton Meadows, at the head of Lillooet lake, was filled to its capacity with sockeye eggs on October 2, Mr. Graham, the superintendent, having secured during the last two weeks of September 25,000,000 eggs. The run in that section was also greater than in any other off year recorded. For the past two seasons the Indians at Pemberton Meadows have seriously interfered with the operations of the hatchery by getting and netting the fish before they reached the weirs. This season a constable was specially employed to prevent this, and it was due to his diligence that the hatchery was filled.

The Indians did not suffer any loss as they were given all the fish taken at the hatchery, with the result that they secured and smoked more fish than they otherwise could have obtained.

Very few sockeye reached Shuswap and Adams lakes this season. Up till September 30, only eight adult females were taken in the hatchery weirs. As a result the hatchery at Salmon has no sockeye eggs. The run to Harrison lake has just begun and comprises the last of the run to enter the Fraser. In commenting on the increased catch on the Fraser river this year and the unusually large number of sockeye reached the spawning grounds in 1908. This year's catch was foreshadowed then, and in like manner conditions on the spawning grounds this season enable the officials to predict a larger catch four years hence.

ALBERTA GREET'S ROYAL PARTY

Enthusiastic Receptions Are Accorded to Their Royal Highnesses at McLeod and Lethbridge

WORK OF OVERSEAS CLUB IS APPLAUDED

H. R. H. the Governor-General Expresses Deep Interest in the Results of the Coming Dry Farming Congress

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Oct. 9.—Lethbridge, Alberta, a city of 10,000 inhabitants, greeted the Governor-General's train arrived here at a quarter past five, making no stop on the way. At Macleod Premier Sifton joined the royal party. On the arrival here, their Royal Highnesses were taken in carriages for a drive through the principal business streets, previous to the presentation of addresses of welcome, which ceremony took place in a pavilion in the park which forms the centre of the city.

The streets through which the procession passed were crowded with cheering thousands. Among the many remarkable demonstrations of enthusiastic welcome that the Governor-General, the Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia have been receiving at the different cities visited thus far in the course of their present extended tour, this evening's demonstration by the people of Lethbridge is to be characterized as decidedly not the least remarkable for its enthusiasm.

Reply to Civic Address

In reply to the civic address of welcome, presented by Mayor G. M. Hatch, the duke said: "I beg to say to you and to the gentlemen who brought me here, that I accept of your very best thanks, as well as those of the duchess and my daughter, for your address of welcome."

It gives me the greatest pleasure to visit your city and to witness for myself the progress you have made. I look forward to seeing your park, your exhibition grounds and your lake, of which I have already heard, and

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STATE GUARDS PRIVATE RIGHTS

Attorney-General Wins Suit Entered on Behalf of Man Who Is in Hospital for Insane—Establish Precedent

PROPERTY WAS BOUGHT MUCH UNDER ITS VALUE

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—On the grounds that the property was purchased at an inadequate price to the knowledge of the purchaser, and that the defendant knew that the man from whom he agreed to purchase was at least not a fit person to make a bargain on his own behalf, Mr. Justice Murphy this afternoon, in the supreme court, delivered an important judgment in favor of the attorney-general, establishing what is probably a precedent in this province.

On March 12, 1911, Mr. John McDougall entered into an agreement with Mr. George A. Mackenzie to buy a lot at Central Park for \$2,000, the same being \$100 down and \$10 a month without interest. On April 10, 1911, Mackenzie was placed in the hospital for the insane at New Westminster.

The attention of the attorney-general was drawn to the transaction between Mr. McDougall and Mr. Mackenzie, and it was pointed out to him that the property was worth from \$5,000 to \$10,000. The property appeared on the assessment roll as assessed for \$3,325, and the attorney-general filed caveats on it.

These were dismissed and the action tried today was launched by the attorney-general in his capacity as a commissioner of lunacy. The allegation was that McDougall knew at the time of entering into the bargain that Mackenzie was of unsound mind and unit to transact business.

Seek Embargo Extended

LONDON, Oct. 9.—A large deputation of English agriculturists saw Mr. Run-

COUNTERFEIT BILLS

Clumsy Imitations of One and Two Dollar Notes in Circulation

OTTAWA, Oct. 9.—Counterfeit Dominion bills of the one and two denominations are in such abundant circulation as to cause anxiety in the finance department, and special efforts are being made by the secret service to locate the source of supply. The counterfeiters are a rather clumsy imitation, yet they appear to be taken by a great many people without question, and are especially plentiful in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Victim of Falling Wall

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—James Dohle, a contractor, of 24 Saunders avenue, was killed by the falling of a wall of the old Baptist church, on Queen street and Lansdowne avenue today. Several workmen engaged in removing the structure were caught in the fall of the wall and badly injured. Dohle was caught in the wreckage and died two hours later in the Western hospital. The upper part of the building, which was erected in 1888, was being demolished to make way for the erection of the New Parkdale assembly hall on the old foundation. An inquest will be held.

Buys Chicago Paper

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 9.—H. H. Kohlhaas, editor and publisher of the Chicago Record Herald, purchased the Chicago Inter-Ocean today from George W. Hinman, who will retire from Chicago journalism. Mr. Kohlhaas, according to announcement made yesterday, will take immediate charge of the Inter-Ocean.

MAY DRAW UPON DEMOCRATIC VOTE

Mr. Roosevelt's Entry Into the Presidential Contest Has Upset Calculations Says Rev. Charles M. Sheldon

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—It would be idle to prophesy the result of the United States presidential election on November 6. For the first time in many years there is a serious triangular fight, and it is impossible to predict the effect of Mr. Roosevelt's entrance into the race. No one can see any one but Governor Wilson on the ground that the Republican party is split into factions and the Democratic party is not, but that sort of an argument may be worthless. No one is certain that Roosevelt will not draw heavily on the democratic vote.

The above was the summing up of the American presidential campaign by Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, when asked for his opinion by The Colonist. Rev. Sheldon has just completed a long lecturing tour through the western states and is in a position to sum up the feelings of the electors.

Victim of Bonfire

EDMONTON, Alta., Oct. 9.—Virginia Steel, seven years of age, was so burned about the legs, arms and body when her clothing caught fire from a bonfire that it will be necessary for her mother to give up a large amount of skin for grafting to save the child. Mrs. Steel also was badly burned in extinguishing the flames that were threatening the life of her daughter.

Abolition of Level Crossings

EDMONTON, Alta., Oct. 9.—Special efforts are to be made this fall by the city to get the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific railways busy building subways at the various level crossings. An order asking these two railways to arrange for the use of one set of double tracks from the eastern boundary of the city to First street, also will be sought.

GRAIN ELEVATORS ON PITT RIVER

Alberta Firm Ready to Establish Plants—Government Is Entirely in Favor of Westminster's Harbor Plans

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Oct. 9.—In the course of a speech at a meeting of the Conservative Club here last evening, Mr. J. D. Taylor, M. P., made the announcement that the government was entirely in favor of New Westminster's harbor scheme, and that it would, at its own expense, dredge the river from the mouth to the outlet of the Pitt river. He followed this up by announcing that an Alberta grain firm had agreed to establish two grain elevators on the Pitt river as soon as navigation for deep-water vessels was possible that fall.

Mr. Frank Bostock Dies

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Mr. Frank Bostock, the well known animal, created and manager proprietor, died yesterday.

WATER CONTROLS EASTERN RATES

Canadian Pacific Traffic Officials Defend Their Tariffs Before the Railway Commission at Ottawa

COUNSEL FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA IS ACTIVE

Mr. W. A. Macdonald, K. C., Cross-Examines Witnesses as to Export Wheat Trade by Way of Vancouver

OTTAWA, Oct. 9.—The railway board heard today another mass of facts and figures submitted by the C. P. R. in connection with its defense of its freight tariffs in the western rates case. The company did not close its case, but toward the end of the sitting witnesses for the company gave place to Mr. D. B. Hanna, vice president of the Canadian Northern system, who was being examined by Mr. F. H. Phippen when the board rose for the day.

Mr. Hanna agreed with Vice President Bosworth of the C. P. R. that water competition controls the rate situation in the west. He said that if it was not for this competition, eastern rates would be increased. He declared that in many ways the cost of operating is higher in the west, notably owing to the weather conditions, the higher range of wages and the greater cost of fuel.

Mr. Langlan Examined

Mr. W. B. Langlan, freight traffic manager in the west, was the chief witness for the C. P. R. He maintained that western rates were reasonable and that the through on grain to Port William was the lowest in the world. Mr. Langlan was cross-examined at length by Mr. W. A. Macdonald, K. C., Vancouver, counsel for the British Columbia government, in regard to the possibility of an export wheat trade via Vancouver. He said that while the C. P. R. was anxious to see this done, the high rates for ocean freight and insurance makes it impossible. No reference was made to the conditions which will be created by the completion of the Panama canal.

The general cross-examination of the

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U.S. CHINESE HAVE VOTING POWER

Political Excitement Rife in San Francisco Colony—It Can Have Representative on Senate of Republic

CANDIDATE IS ALREADY ANNOUNCED

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 9.—Chinese of the United States have received word from China that they are entitled to representation in the electoral college to convene in Peking on December 19, for the purpose of electing a president of the Chinese republic. Further, Chinese of the United States have been informed that they are entitled to a representation in the senate of the republic, and in consequence, political excitement is rife in San Francisco Chinese quarters. Ton Gall, secretary of the San Francisco Chinese Chamber of Commerce, is the only avowed candidate for the senatorship, election, which, by present arrangement, will carry with it the honor of delegate to the electoral college, but there are said to be two dark-horse candidates, each having the backing of a faction.

In the United States there are sixteen Chinese societies or families, and election plans provide for a convention of sixty-four representatives of these families, each to have four delegates. The meeting will be in San Francisco on a date to be announced within a few days.

Setting in Saskatchewan

SASKATOON, Sask., Oct. 9.—Jacob Sklover, a well known authority and journalist of Russia, spent yesterday in the city. He is interested in securing ten thousand Hebrews to come to Saskatchewan for the purpose of settling on the fertile lands of this province, and it is expected that the vanguard of the new settlers will arrive here about the first of the year.

Proposing Legislation

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—A circular has been issued to all the departments from the premier's office asking that the preparatory work in legislation to be dealt with at the coming session of parliament be expedited. The department is already at work preparing their estimates.

MANSLAUGHTER VERDICT

Reckless Driving of Motor Car by an Intoxicated Man

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—A verdict of guilty was returned by an assize jury this morning against H. C. Hughes, who was charged with manslaughter. Hughes was accused of taking a motor car while intoxicated on the evening of August 8th, last, and while driving recklessly around the downtown district, running over Charles Fawcett, who died of his injuries.

PROMISED IMPROVEMENTS

B. C. Telephone Company to Spend \$1,000,000 in Next Six Months

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—The B. C. Telephone Company, announce they will spend one million dollars in additions to their plant in Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria within the next six months.

Imperial Trade Commission

LONDON, Oct. 9.—In the absence of the chairman, Lord Morley, Hon. Geo. E. Foster is presiding over the sittings of the Imperial Trade Commission. Today was occupied with hearing evidence concerning emigration by the British and New South Wales representatives. Two sessions are being held every day.

30 Years' Penal Servitude

ROME, Oct. 9.—For attempting to assassinate King Victor Emmanuel on March 14 last, Antonio Dalia today was sentenced to thirty years' penal servitude.

BANKS MEETING WESTERN GROWTH

Montreal Financier Declares That the Money Market in the East Is Prepared to Cope With Advancement

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 9.—The money market in the East is in good shape. The western wheat crop made heavy inroads on capital, but the banks made plans to advance money for handling a record wheat crop and their ordinary business is not held up to any serious extent. About the only apparent effect was the increased rate on call loans to brokers from 5-1/2 to 6 per cent. A few private loans are being put through at the latter rate, but these are very few. In spite of the increase on calls the Montreal stock market continues to reflect the buoyant undertone in respect to general business conditions and the number of transactions continues heavy.

The speaker was Mr. A. J. Richardson, Montreal, manager for the Imperial Bank, who arrived here this morning. He will visit Victoria later before leaving the coast.

"The Imperial bank, although proceeding on a conservative line, has been branching out steadily," continued Mr. Richardson. "What would have been regarded as ill-advised haste a few years ago has become necessary by the rapid development of the country from coast to coast. All the big banks are branching out, but as they have to be in a position to handle the fast increasing business this is what is to be expected."

"A great deal of foreign capital is coming into the country just now, and there is no doubt but that the big percentage of it is applied to western development. The record wheat crop will go a long way to increase foreign confidence in the country, as well as promote a continuance of prosperous times."

ALLEGED SLANDER

Lethbridge's Ex-Chief of Police Takes Action Against Mayor Hatch

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Oct. 9.—Today Joseph Gillespie, ex-chief of police, issued a writ against Geo. M. Hatch, mayor; Leslie Silliker, Patrick Egan, and the city of Lethbridge as joint defendants, claiming \$5,000 damages and \$500 special damages for alleged slanderous charges, malicious and wrongful in character, also for imputing misconduct and that he was guilty of criminal offences when chief of police. Mr. Gillespie appeared in person, no lawyer being present, and was heard by the writ. This is the culmination of the recent police investigation wherein the ex-chief was charged with various offences.

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MONTENEGRINS DEFEAT TURKS

Short Engagement Took Place Yesterday Morning, Opened by Artillery Fire—Ottoman Troops Retired

EXPERTS BELIEVE WAR WILL BE SANGUINARY

Aeroplanes Likely to Be Tested in Active Service During the Struggle—Massacre of the Turks

PODGORITZA, Montenegro, Oct. 9.—The Montenegrin army opened war against Turkey this morning by attacking a strong Turkish position opposite Podgoritza. Prince Peter, the youngest son of King Nicholas, fired the first shot.

This was the signal for firing all along the line and an artillery duel ensued. Within 21 minutes, five Turkish guns were silenced, and the Turks retreated from their first position on Mount Plavnik. By noon the Turks had evacuated the mountain.

Podgoritza is the headquarters of the Montenegrin forces and amid the enthusiastic cheering of the people, King Nicholas, with Prince Mirko, his second son, the staff, rode early in the morning to survey the positions. The Montenegrin guns had been placed during the night and strong detachments of men were held in reserve should the Turkish force prove larger than the reports of the scouts indicated.

Punctually at eight o'clock the first shots were directed at the Turkish position on the hills opposite by Prince Peter, who is captain of artillery. At the booming of the gun, the band in the Montenegrin headquarters struck up the royal hymn.

General Advance Ordered

That the Montenegrin force was effective was proved by the quick retirement of the Turks. After they evacuated the mountain, a general advance of Montenegrin infantry was ordered. Covered by concentrated artillery fire, the infantry moved towards the strongly fortified Turkish positions in Detlich mountain which commands the road to Scutari near the Montenegrin frontier.

A general engagement was still in progress at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Crown Prince Daniel, who is commander-in-chief, has just ridden in with Prince Peter from the battlefield to the King's headquarters for fresh instructions.

War Will Be Fierce One

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Expert military opinion is divided as to the probable course of the war, but it is agreed on all sides that the struggle will be one of hideous, and perhaps unexampled, ferocity. Moreover, whichever side is successful, the peace of Europe will be imperilled. Austria is resolved not to permit any territorial expansion by Servia or Bulgaria, while, in the event of the Turks sweeping their armies before them and trampling the Balkans underfoot, the sympathies of the Russian people will be aroused, and the Russian government forced by popular passion to take an active part in the game.

The powers are mutually distrustful of one another, and have agreed to do their utmost to localize the war, so that not any of them should have reasonable ground for interfering and annexing some territory to which each of the others thinks it has a better right.

Massacre of Turks

The Daily Mail's Vienna correspondent quotes the following dispatch from Oltenezia, Roumania, to The Neues Wiener Tagblatt: "A massacre occurred yesterday (Monday) at Turtukla, Bulgaria, near the Roumanian frontier."

"Egged on by agitators from Rustchuk, armed Bulgarians attacked the Turkish inhabitants at the dead of night, pillaged their houses and started appalling slaughter, even women and children being sacrificed."

"The Turkish quarter presents an awful spectacle today. Streets of corpses are lying in the streets. Only a few Turks succeeded in escaping to Oltenezia, which is just across the frontier."

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Fifty Years Ago Today

(From The Colonist of October 10th, 1862.)

Copper—A lump of pure copper, close upon a pound in weight was found in the Stikkeen river and brought down by the steamer Louise. The workmen in the Fort Hope silver mine have struck a rich vein of the same ore at a point 100 feet below the surface. The mine was worked for some time, but has been found on the Bonaparte. The mining interests of the colony brighten. We have now gold, silver, copper, coal and plumage mines. Brass is not needed.

The New Steamboat—The Reliance is at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf, where she will receive the finishing touches. She is 125 feet long, 18 feet beam, 4 feet depth of hold and draws but nine inches of water. She is the finest draught boat ever constructed here and will have the powerful machinery saved from the Fort Yale placed in her. J. W. Trahey is the builder.

Town Council—This body will meet this evening at 7 o'clock, when the way in which to raise a revenue, as proposed by the committee, will be discussed.

Cricket—Captain Layton selects eleven to play with broomsticks any way eleven in the colony. Wickets pitched at ten o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

- TODAY'S SUMMARY**
- Settlement Is Now Adjusted. Alberta Greets Royal Party. Water Controls Eastern Rates. Turks Defeated by Montenegrins.
 - Y.W.C.A.'s Campaign for Building Fund.
 - Banqueting of Premier, McBride.
 - Editorial.
 - Construction of Canadian Northern.
 - News of the City.
 - News of the City.
 - Pretty Wedding Ceremony Yesterday.
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 - Real Estate Advice.
 - Chapel Corps for Public Schools.
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Y.W.C.A.'S CAMPAIGN FOR BUILDING FUND

Successful Banquet, Attended by Business Men, at Alexandra Club—Aims of Organization Are Humanitarian

The campaign to raise funds to build a new Y. W. C. A. was inaugurated at a banquet for business men held at the Alexandra Club last evening. His Worship the Mayor took the chair, and other well-known men present included Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, Rev. Otto Gerlich, Rev. J. J. Warrick, Mr. C. H. Lugin, Mr. H. J. Knott, Mr. E. T. Knott, Mr. L. D. W. Ward, Mr. F. Behnen, M.P.P., Mr. J. P. Forman, Mr. Albin Johns, Mr. F. C. Niven, Mr. W. H. Mitchell, president of the Y.M.C.A. and Mr. F. C. Sayers, its general secretary. The ladies of the board of directors, with the exception of Mrs. Frank Adams, were also present. After justice had been done to the many excellent things provided, His Worship, the Mayor, introduced the subject of the evening.

There were 2,000 self-supporting women in Victoria, said the mayor, and of this number 1,000 was away from home—what would be the case twelve months from now? They might fully expect that when the new building was equipped they would find it short by two or three hundred. (Applause) The ladies, in commencing this work the hearty support of the citizens of Victoria. A great many of them had made money rapidly within the last few years, and he trusted that they would open up and launch out without any hesitation. He then called upon Mrs. Adams who gave a general invitation to all present to help in any way possible. She also referred to the fact that there were many hundreds of girls in Victoria who although they had homes had nowhere where they could entertain their men or girl friends, with the result that they met them in the streets or in the park or other places.

Work of Organization

Speaking of the work that the Y.W.C.A. was trying to do she emphasized the point that the Y. W. C. A. never turned a girl away. (Applause) The Travellers' Aid met young women at every boat and sometimes the arrivals had not a dollar in their pockets. But all the girls who came under their roof paid whatever they could, and they liked to make them feel that they had paid their way. Of all the girls who had come under their notice, Mrs. Adams said there had been only two who were earning as much as \$60 a month, all the rest were drawing from \$20 upward. The objection was sometimes made that it was no good trying to help some girls, that they would only spend their money upon dress and pleasure. But they wanted to educate them to realize that there was something else to life for beside those things. Mayor Beckwith began with his interview. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy in connection with a C. P. R. grant for the new building. He had told her that he had already heard all about the Y. W. C. A. from his wife who was a member, but the C. P. R. only helped the Y. W. C. A. because it knew that they turned out good men. They had even built a Y. M. C. A. themselves at Portage la Prairie at a cost of \$75,000.

It seemed to her that women being so far the weaker sex, needed the aid of the Y. W. C. A. The city spent much money on many things—what was it doing towards making good women and good wives? The Y. W. C. A. wanted the help and sympathy of all in this movement, not only of the few. They wanted all to invest their money, and she knew that if those who did so could see good results ahead they would be interested in the project. It was a true saying that the moral character of a nation never rose above the moral character of its women.

Mayor Beckwith in referring to the visit which he and Mrs. Adams had paid to Sir Thomas Shaughnessy said that the latter had remarked: "We bring girls out and it is up to you to look after them. Often, however, the girls don't seem to want to work, but want all the time for pleasure." He hoped that next time they would be able to tell him he needed a new excuse.

System of Education

Mrs. B. Bradshaw, general secretary of the Y. W. Association, also spoke, referring to the different character of classes they were having to take in order to help the girls when they got their new home. This would include a class in English for the benefit of foreign girls, for which they had already been asked. They were also interested in the study of domestic science, which meant as much to men as it did to women. Some of the girls with whom they came in contact were said to be no good, but many came from homes where they had no training.

The financial statement was read by the treasurer, Mrs. Hill, showing the profits of the Y. W. C. A. to be about \$255 a month. Mrs. Gerald Seale, speaking on the self-supporting possibilities of the building, said that the Y. W. C. A. were generally more self-supporting than the Y. M. C. A. because the ladies gave more attention to details, having more time for them than the men, who had business responsibilities. In response to the request of Rev. J. J. Warrick, Mr. MacLeod stated that the new building would cost in the neighborhood of \$150,000. The sale of the present property was expected to bring in \$100,000 anyway, and, roughly speaking, \$50,000 would be needed for the new campaign.

Business Like Education

Mr. C. H. Lugin, the next speaker, said he had been very much impressed by what he had heard that evening. He knew something of the necessity for work, but he had never known that such a sane, businesslike undertaking was being carried on in the city. The business statement made that evening was worthy of all praise. He himself could help the work through the medium of the Colonist and he intended to do so, for he believed that he could help on no better undertaking. Large numbers of young girls were coming out all the time to a country where people were not so sociable as they might be, and he was glad to know that there was such an organization to look after them.

Mr. James Forman, a director of the home, also spoke. He told a story of a small boy who had landed recently in Victoria without any money. The Y. M. C. A. authorities had not seemed as if they gave a great deal of thought to the boy, but the Y. W. C. A. had said, "If you turn that boy away we will take him in."

Mr. C. H. Sayers, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., also spoke, paying a glowing tribute to the services of the general secretary, Miss Bradshaw. He was sure that the business men of the city would never regret having taken an interest in the organization. Rev. T. W. Gladstone pointed out that the Y. W. C. A. owed its organization here to the memory of the late Bishop of the Diocese, and thought there were few good institutions in the city which that church had not founded. As president of the Ministerial Association he promised the ladies the sympathy of his brother ministers.

Mr. L. D. W. Ward, who said he had gone on begging visits with Mr. R. Mott, said that there was no other side to the question, and gave the ladies some useful pointers as to how they could obtain subscriptions.

The gathering shortly afterwards adjourned. At the beginning of the evening there was a display of the new building, and received from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Patterson, premier and Lady McMillan, the latter one of the patronesses of the association. A. J. Adams, the Y. W. C. A. will be held tomorrow afternoon in the rooms on Courtney street, to make arrangements for the campaign, which will be definitely started next Monday.

ALBERTA GREET'S ROYAL PARTY

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which are reported to be thoroughly worthy of what your city will one day be.

"The dry farming congress, which will shortly be in session here, excites my greatest interest, and my only regret is that my duties will prevent me from being present."

His Majesty's Interest

"I trust that the citizens of Lethbridge and those who live in the vicinity will draw the greatest benefit from the deliberations of the congress; every branch of agriculture will be touched upon and there will be many lessons to be learned; not only by those who are seeking to make the most of indifferent soil, but also by those who farm land of the better quality."

"It will be a cause of great satisfaction to His Majesty the King to receive your loyal and dutiful message, for I am sure you are well aware of the great interest with which His Majesty watches the progress and development of every part of his overseas dominions."

Work of Overseas Club

The address from the Lethbridge Overseas Club was read by the secretary of that organization, Mr. T. W. Clark, and in replying to it His Royal Highness spoke as follows:

"Gentlemen, I have much pleasure in receiving your address, for it gives me an opportunity of saying in person how very fully I sympathize with the objects of the Overseas Club. Your task will not always be an easy one, for mischievous and foolish people, will sometimes misunderstand your intentions and try to invest your work with a political character, which those who have the interests of the club at heart do their utmost to avoid."

"During his recent visit to Canada, I was very glad to receive a visit from Mr. Evelyn Wrench, your organizer, to whom imagination and energy is due the existence of the club. "You are to be congratulated that you have at the helm as wholehearted and strenuous a man, whose youth promises you many years of valuable service and whose entire existence is devoted to his self-imposed task."

"Your membership is marching proudly on towards the one hundred thousand mark, and in tending to the Lethbridge branch my heartfelt wishes for their future, I tender them also to the entire Overseas Club, with the hope that their numbers may always continue to increase and their work may spread further and further afield, to the lasting benefit of the British empire."

Trip Through Crow's Nest

Stowe, Alta., Oct. 9.—The Governor-General and his family left for the night, leaving this morning for McLeod. Yesterday's run from Kootenay Landing left only brief stops at Cranbrook, Fernie, Crow's Nest and Frank, where their Royal Highnesses viewed the scene of the site of a portion of Turtle Mountain, which buried part of the old town. The sky was covered with clouds all day and there were rain and snow flurries in the higher altitudes.

A full view of the Crow's Nest could not be obtained, the summit being shrouded in rolling mists. At all the stops that were made there were crowds to welcome the visitors. At Cranbrook and Fernie, the were bands, guards of honor being furnished by the boy scouts, and the school children sang at every stop. The Governor-General, Duchess and Princess Patricia were on the observation platform of the car Cornwall, and were loudly cheered.

The news of the declaration of war by Montenegro on Turkey was received on the royal train early in the day in the regular course of bulletins or the world's news. A request was sent by cable by the Central News Agency of London for an expression of opinion by the Duke of Connaught in regard to the war news. Beyond the expression of his regret that war had broken out and his hope that the hostilities would not be long continued, there was no declaration made by His Royal Highness.

Their Royal Highnesses are looking forward with interest to the varied programme for their six-hour stay in McLeod, including an Indian display by Bloods, Piegans and Blackfeet.

At Old Fort Whoop-Up

McLEOD, Alta., Oct. 9.—On the arrival of the royal train at McLeod, the Governor-General, the Duchess and Princess Patricia were received by a great assemblage of the people of McLeod and the surrounding country and escorted to the city hall, where in reply to the civic address which they had made a reply in which, referring to an expression in the address of welcome in regard to the use of their residence from across the boundary in this section, he took occasion to add more to the notable attractions which the city was presenting.

"I am well aware that among those whom I am now addressing there are a very great proportion who were not born under the British flag. Most of these will have learned now that residence under the flag implies no disabilities; all we ask is that the laws of Canada should be obeyed. With this provision everyone is free to come and go, to marry, to live and die as seems good to him, and as it pleases him to bring no pressure to bear on anyone to adopt the Canadian nationality for we do not value citizenship which is obtained under compulsion."

"Our American cousins are welcome from over the border. Thrice we welcome our Canadian and British brothers who return to the Union Jack after living under the Stars and Stripes. History is repeating itself. For many years hundreds of young Britishers have sought fortune in the western states, time has brought about a change and the tide has set in the other direction, bringing across the frontier numbers of our neighbors, whom we are glad to return hospitality."

After the proceedings at the city hall, which included the presentation to their royal highnesses of souvenirs of old Fort Whoop-Up, there was a motor drive around the town. The programme for the afternoon an Indian display by Bloods, Piegans and Blackfeet, who are in town today in great numbers. Totten Three Persons, the Blood who so distinguished himself at the Calgary "stampede," and whom the Duchess and Princess Patricia saw ride the Oklahoma horse Cyclone, gave an exhibition of riding.

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WATER CONTROLS EASTERN RATES

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C. P. R. witnesses by counsel for the federal and provincial governments and the Winnipeg board of trade has been deferred until they have had an opportunity to study the rate comparisons submitted by the company.

A feature of the morning session was the examination by Mr. J. M. Macleod, aid of Mr. W. R. McInnes, general freight traffic manager of the C. P. R., who completed his main evidence. Mr. McInnes agreed with Vice President Boesworth that, as a basis of rates, it was not fair to compare the rate of the Columbia division with the Lake Superior division. The proper basis of rate-making, he said, would be upon traffic that originates or is consumed in each railway division.

No Tariffs Approved

Mr. McInnes agreed that ocean freight with Vancouver, Montreal and St. John would be credited to those points, but not freight such as grain carried over other divisions to be forwarded eastward. He stated that the C. P. R. had claimed exemption from jurisdiction of the railway board, and for some reason none of the tariffs in use eastward from Vancouver had been approved by the board in accordance with the provisions of the Railway Act. An order of the twenty-third of August approved of standard tariffs east of Vancouver, subject to the decision of the board in this inquiry.

Mr. McInnes admitted the ability of the Canadian Pacific Railway to separate local from through rates and passenger earnings, and that through rates were charged on a mileage basis throughout the entire system. Both freight and passenger business had increased since the return filed in the Vancouver board of trade investigation. The board directed that a fresh return should be filed, showing the business done on each division over the whole system.

Rates Compared

"A discussion of the grain situation obtained an admission from Mr. McInnes that at some seasons of the year wheat is taken to St. John from Winnipeg, a distance of 1,500 miles, for 13 cents. This was a non-paying rate and a 20-cent rate earned a profit, he asserted. Mr. McInnes stated that the export rate from Calgary to Vancouver, a distance of 640 miles, is 16½ cents, while the local rate is 32 cents. Reference was made to the reduction of seventy per cent ordered by the U. S. Interstate Commerce Commission on freight rates between the coast cities, and a comparison of the rates created by this reduction with those in effect from British Columbia coast cities, was gone into.

During the examination of Mr. Lang, counsel for the C. P. R. elicited the statement that the average haul of ore traffic in British Columbia is 20 miles, that this is not a commodity which will stand high rates, because the increase of rates would have a tendency to curtail production.

MAY HAVE FOUNDERED

Yacht With Seven Persons on Board Missing on Lower St. Lawrence

QUEBEC, Oct. 9.—All inquiries have failed to secure any further news of the missing yacht Bernadette, of Rimouski, which has not been seen since Sunday evening, and the absence of information seems to confirm the general impression that she has foundered with her crew of seven.

The Bernadette left Des Coudrois, on the north shore, at 6 p.m., Sunday night on her return voyage at the same time as a yacht which reached Rimouski on Monday morning after a very rough trip. The Bernadette was owned by Mr. Blair, manager of Price Brothers' mills at Rimouski, and the other members of the crew were Messrs. E. Tessier, son of Judge Tessier; F. X. Froulx, A. Ringuet, Beckingmatt and Bonner, two clerks in the Bank of Commerce, and G. McKinnon, a clerk in the employ of Price Bros.

The government steamer Lady Evelyn left yesterday in search of the missing boat, but up to a late hour today had found no trace of her.

A Terrible Death

EDMONTON, Alta., Oct. 9.—While changing the footings of a very great bridge, the immense steel bridge of the C.N.R. over the Pembina river at Entwistle, Joseph Johnson, a structural iron-worker accidentally touched the trigger of the pneumatic riveter, which rebounded, struck him in the forehead, and sent him hurtling through the air to a terrible drop of 170 feet to the river below. The falling man struck an out-jutting beam on a lower deck of the bridge and the body's drop was deflected from the open water onto a raft upon which the man fell on his head and was instantly killed.

Newspapers Test Law

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Suit to test the right of the United States government to enforce the Federal Anti-Trust Act, 24, 1912, requiring newspapers and periodicals to publish their circulation figures twice a year, and imposing other publicity requirements, were filed in the U. S. District court here today by the Commercial Bulletin Company, publishers of The Journal of Commerce.

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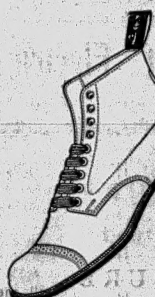
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BANQUETING OF PREMIER MCBRIDE

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That all previous functions of the kind ever held in the province will be eclipsed by the banquet to be tendered Sir Richard McBride in the Drill Hall tomorrow night is certain, in fact it is safe to say that larger celebrations of a similar nature have been few and far between anywhere in the Dominion. At first it was thought that would about cover the attendance—investigation proved the inadequacy of that standard and it was raised to 700, and now it seems that even that figure will be transcended, and provision has had to be made for somewhere in the neighborhood of 800.

In addition to its proportions the banquet will be the most representative ever held in the province, all the members of the Dominion house for the province, with the possible exception of the Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, will be present, together with all the members of the provincial house and the members of the provincial cabinet, giving the affair an aspect of accumulated interest for British Columbia.

The work of making satisfactory arrangements for the success of such a function has been arduous. The fixing and decorating of the Drill Hall was in itself a notable task, but as a result of the efforts of Messrs. Brooks and Webb, in whose hands this part of the programme was, the hall will present a very agreeable background for the occasion. Flags will be there in what can only be described as picturesque profusion, bunting will abound, and party legends will here and there relieve the color scheme.

As already announced, ladies will be admitted to the galleries at 9 p.m., in time to hear the speeches. That this privilege will be readily taken advantage of is rendered practically certain by the number of applications that have been made for admission tickets.

The catering is in the hands of Mr. J. W. Robinson, and this gentleman's experience and record is regarded as a sufficient guarantee for that part of the programme.

In order to finally close the sale of tickets and accounts for everyone the committee in charge will meet at noon today and call in all the unsold tickets. Last night the 700 mark had been reached and it is expected that by the time the unsold tickets are accounted for the 800 mark will have been nearly overtaken.

The toast list will be a short one, there being only three on the list, namely, "The Provincial House," "The Dominion House," and "Sir Richard McBride." It is expected that Mr. C. E. Barnard M.P. will respond to the toast of the Dominion House.

The musical programme is as follows:
1. Song—"Heroes and Gentlemen," by J. O. Dunford.
2. Song—"Land of Hope and Glory," by E. Falvey.
3. Song—"O Canada," by P. Behl.
4. Song—"Rule Britannia," by W. Galt.

The Fifth Regiment Band will play selections throughout. The provisional toast list is appended: "The King," Proposed by the chairman.
"Hon. R. L. Borden and Dominion House," Proposed by E. G. Prior. Reply, Mr. G. H. Barnard M.P.
"Legislature of B.C.," Proposed by Mr. R. E. Green M.P. Reply, Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general.

"Our Guest, Sir Richard McBride, K. C. M. G., Premier of British Columbia," Proposed by Alderman H. Cuthbert.

VICTORIA THEATRE

Large House Applauds Work of Julian Kitting in "The Fascinating Widow"

Whatever the average male theatre-goer may think of the "impersonation of female characters by men, there is no doubt at all that in this line of histrionic work Julian Kitting stands unsurpassed on the stage today. His art has been seen and acclaimed at the Victoria theatre last evening, when his appearing in a dual role in "The Fascinating Widow," described as a comedy with music, the house was filled and the audience was enthralled in its expressions of appreciation of the star.

The story revolves around the adventures of a college lad and lass in an educational establishment, and the coincidental loves of other lads and lasses and older folk. It would have been more fully described as farce. What music there may be about it is a negligible quantity, both as to extent and quality, even though the book is by the author of "Madam Sherry." The company proved fully equal to the demands of the book, but it cannot be said with truth that they were equal to any musical requirements.

Mr. Kitting is one of the best impersonators of women there is on the stage at the present time, and as a college student who appears through the greater part of the play as a lively young widow he is irresistible. The farcical situations which such a role gives occasion to are without end, and all those which arise in the course of the farce are made the most of by Mr. Kitting and his supporting company. And while the scenes inevitably verge upon the border-line of taste the line is never overstepped, the farcical nature of the whole thing being kept well to the front.

As the widow Mr. Kitting makes up so admirably that he once was taken for the college faculty and the fair co-eds for being deceived. His gowns are something for the feminine members of the audience to rave over and to covet, and his characterization of a flirtatious widow is perfection. In his attempt to disprove the charge of absurdity the pseudo widow is well supported by Messrs. Edward Garvie and James Spottedwood as two college boys, and Misses Belle Adair, June Mathie and Louise Orth as their respective sweethearts. The comedy element of the production is made in such a case, is well supplied by Miss Carrie E. Perkins and Messrs. C. W. Butler, Gilbert Douglas and Frank Wainwright. The chorus though small was well trained and effective. There were two or three very useful choruses, but the only one of any merit was that which Miss Adair sang, "All the World Loves a Lover."

Col. Lawton, of Halifax, with his wife and daughter, Miss Mildred Lawton, has come to make his home in Victoria. For the present the family is staying at the Glenelch Inn.

SOCIALISM'S PLEA TO AGNOSTICISM

Father Vaughan on "the Burning Question of the Hour"—
Putting a Discount on Individuality

The large hall of the Alexandra Club was filled last night with an audience representing all sections of Victoria society, when, after a short introductory speech by the mayor, Father Vaughan rose to deliver his address on socialism, "the burning question of the hour," as he called it, "on both sides of the Atlantic."

Father Vaughan stated that he had nothing to say against Socialists, only against socialism. The world owed the Socialists a debt of gratitude, not only for the energy and wholeheartedness with which they pursued their propaganda, a noble example but because they had opened up a new way of looking at life and its problems, and awakened interest in the questions of the relations existing between capital and labor.

But, having said this much, he must shake hands with his socialist comrades and from that point take a different path. He considered them mistaken in their views. Socialism was not the "cure-all" for the industrial and social problems of the hour. He loved the poor; they had his heart and sympathy. He saw them in their worst surroundings. In the slums of London, and to visit them there was the work he enjoyed most in his life.

Heaven on Earth

He had made a study of socialism from the mouths of its most ardent advocates. They were clever fellows, who studied human nature in order to catch its vote. They were gaining ground, with their 110 members of parliament in Germany and 43 in England. They used the exact arguments likely to appeal to their different audiences. They condescended with the agnostic, the atheist and the irreligious man on his treatment by the priest and the parson, and promised him his heaven here and now on earth. In religious circles they were careful to affirm that socialism had nothing to do with religion, that it was purely an economic question, with which the church had nothing to do. In fact, they distributed plenty of soft soap all round.

Father Vaughan then passed on to touch on the various panaceas which Socialists claimed would cure the evils of the present state of things, the control by the state of the means of production and distribution of wealth. How, he asked, would they ensure the efficient management of such gigantic enterprises? He never yet heard of a municipalist satisfied with the management of its own officials. (Laughter.) Of course, he was speaking of the old country. (Loud laughter.) The state was created by man for his own benefit, not man by the state. Servants should be kept in their place.

Struggle Upwards

Socialists made a great point of "equality of opportunities for all," but to him one of the most interesting studies on this continent was the career of one of their millionaires, who, starting from the lowest rung, had won his way to the top. Men were made to be, not the creatures of their environment, but the architects of it. Imagine a race where as soon as one horse got his nose in front of another, the whole race was stopped and the riders ordered to begin again. There was no inherent wrong in capitalism or labor, but there was wrong in the ignorance which had sprung up of each other's troubles, and it was everyone's business to study the lives of others and endeavor to lend them a helping hand in their struggle upward. The one man to whom a wide berth should be given was the wild paid agitator, whose business it was to create a row where there was no quarrel. (Laughter.) Schemes of profit sharing had his hearty approval; legislation could do much if they insisted on the carrying out of good laws; but it was the impersonal attitude of the wrongs of others—their suffering, their poverty—that they must strive to eliminate. The great reformer and liberator of the human race was Christ. No man would ever be satisfied with mere legal justice; they must look to the justice of Christ. What the world was suffering from was too little Christianity. Capital and labor alike were trying to live without Christ. They had turned him out of their schools. An endeavor was being made to shift the responsibility for right living from the individual on to the state, yet our Lord had always addressed himself to a single person when issuing his commands.

The great reformation of the human race must begin with the individual. Let them try and reform themselves, next their homes, and then the city they lived in; and then socialism would be found unnecessary. The question lay between "On to Socialism" or "Back to Christ."

The reverend father's address was marked throughout by his usual eloquence and pithy stories, which met with much appreciation from his audience, and the mayor, in thanking him for coming there that evening, voiced the general sentiment when he expressed the wish that they might soon have another opportunity of listening to him again.

At the conclusion of Father Vaughan's speech, a member of the audience attempted to put a question, but was informed by the speaker that he had no intention of entering into a discussion, and that it was open to anyone who disagreed with anything that had been said to hire the hall the next evening and state his views.

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CONSTRUCTION OF CANADIAN NORTHERN

Section Between Cowichan Lake and Alberni Canal Is Being Undertaken, to be Finished Within One Year

Active operations have commenced on the construction of the forty-mile section of the Canadian Northern Pacific line which lies between the north end of Cowichan lake and the Alberni Canal. The sub-contract for this has been let to Murdoch & Co., which firm had the sub-contract for the last twenty-seven miles of the E. & N. extension to the Canal. Mr. J. A. Murdoch, senior member of the firm, passed through the city on his way to Nanaimo to arrange for the transport of a quantity of plant.

Mr. Murdoch states that his contract calls for the completion of the grade within one year, and involves an expenditure of a million and one-half dollars. None but skilled labor will be employed and Mr. Murdoch is quite satisfied that he can obtain all he requires. When the work is in full swing there will be about two thousand men employed.

The headquarters of construction, Mr. Murdoch says, will be at Port Alberni where a wharf is being built at which supplies will be landed for distribution to the construction camps. Between Port Alberni and a point twelve miles down the Canal camps are now being built at intervals of two miles. Along this part of the route, on the east shore of the Canal, there will be a lot of heavy rock work, and as soon as the camps are ready 750 men will begin blasting out the right-of-way.

A wagon road is to be built in from the Canal along the route for the transport of supplies to the camps between that and Cowichan lake. Mr. Murdoch says the work will be completed well within the contract time.

ARCHBISHOP VISITS ST. ANN'S CONVENT

Monsignor Bruchest, in Descending on Beaulieu, of Victoria Pays High Tribute to Malahat Drive

An interesting and memorable gathering was held yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of St. Ann's convent, when His Grace Archbishop Bruchest, of Montreal, addressed the children. The picture was one not soon to be forgotten. The body of the hall was filled with white-robed students, while on the platform at the front, and very Rev. Father Nicholas, vicar-general; Rev. Father Heynen, of Nanaimo; and Rev. Father Plasser, of Esquimalt. His Grace was escorted to his seat by the Rev. Father Heynen, the superior of the convent, and the Rev. Father Plasser, who came in while the Misses Myrtle Starrett, Norma Manley, May Tolle and Patricia Burns gave a delightful piano-forte rendering of Durck's "Fantasia," with organ accompaniment. The children then rose and sang a song of welcome to the distinguished visitor, after which Miss Freda Richter read a very pretty-worded address of welcome, in which she remarked that not as a stranger did they welcome the archbishop, for from the Atlantic to the Pacific his name was synonymous with all that spoke for the betterment of humanity. The address, which was a short one, evidently touched the archbishop, who followed the young speaker with a pleased smile on his face. Then little Katherine Fraser, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. C. Fraser, stepped up to the platform, carrying a huge bouquet of lovely white chrysanthemums, nearly as big as herself, which she handed to His Grace, who took it with a few kindly words to the little one, to whom he gave his ring to kiss.

The archbishop then rose and addressed the children. He reminded them in the beginning that they belonged to the great family of St. Ann, and they had about fifteen thousand little sisters scattered throughout the East and West, while some were even in far away Alaska. When he came into the room he had seen the portraits of the King and Queen, and they had reminded him of the visit which His Majesty, then Prince of Wales, had made to a convent in Montreal, upon which he had accompanied him. He knew how loyal they were to the British crown.

The archbishop paid a warm tribute to the scenic beauties of Victoria. Only that morning he had been driven over the Malahat Drive, and he declared that although he knew the famous drive from Sorrento to Amalfi, which was supposed to be one of the most beautiful in Europe, he did not think that it equaled the Malahat. Referring to the recent visit of Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, His Grace said he knew that they had regretted very much that they had not seen St. Ann's academy. As for him, he could not have been in Victoria two hours without coming to see them.

He spoke of the great change in the West since his visit here thirteen years ago. In fifty years from now who could tell what Victoria would be? He referred to the hardships undergone by the pioneer missionaries. The people of today had profited by their sacrifice, and they must keep a grateful remembrance of the first apostles in this country. After pointing out the errors that existed in men's minds in regard to the teachings of the Roman Catholic church, His Grace went on to define the same in detail. Life, he said, was short, and eternity was waiting for them. They must find out what was their duty on earth and what they must do to honor God.

At the close of his address, he asked the children if they would like a holiday, and, turning to Very Rev. Father Nicholas, the venerable vicar-general, asked him whether he had his permission to grant them one.

After singing the convent class song, the holiday was accordingly granted, and to the great delight of the children, who only in the morning had celebrated the occasion of Father Vaughan's visit in a like manner.

Mr. Frank Sehl motored the archbishop over the Malahat Drive yesterday morning, and, as before stated, the latter enjoyed the experience very much. On Monday evening Mr. J. C. Hart motored him over the city and environs, and afterwards he dined at the palace as the guest of Rev. Father Leterme.

His Grace will spend today quietly, and has so far made no special arrangements for the end of the week, although he expects to celebrate pontifical high mass at the cathedral on Sunday. He will not preach, however, but his English is excellent for conversational purposes or even for short addresses, he distrusts his command of the language in the pulpit.

LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB

Opening of Amateur Season With a Concert Today

This evening the Victoria Musical Club opens its amateur season. The club has issued invitations to a large number of guests. Mrs. Richard Nash, to whose untiring efforts the people of Victoria owe these concerts, has been fortunate in obtaining the co-operation of the club and the assistance of such well-known artists as Miss Long and Miss Eva Hart. Miss Maude Scruby, who will make her first appearance before a Victoria audience, is a professional cellist whose home at present is in Vancouver.

The following is the programme which will begin at 8.30 o'clock in the ballroom of the Alexandra Club, which has been very beautifully decorated for the occasion.

"Awake, My Love".....W. Gerleke
 Arion Club
 Piano—(a) Romance, Op. 24.....Sibelius
 (b) Melodie.....Rachmaninoff
 (c) Polichinelle.....Rachmaninoff
 Song—"She Wandered Down the Mountain Side".....Frederick Clay
 Miss Eva Hart
 Cello Solo—"Kol Nidrei".....Max Bruch
 Miss Maude Scruby

(a) "The Dance".....J. Otto
 (b) "Ashes of Roses".....Rosaeter G. Cole
 Arion Club
 Piano—Fantasia in F minor, Op. 49
 Chopin

Song—(a) "Come Sweet Morning".....A.L.
 (b) "May Day".....Walther
 Miss Eva Hart
 Cello Solo—(a) Romance.....Davidoff
 (b) "Teresa".....Gottard
 Miss Maude Scruby
 "God Save the King"
 Honorary Club accompanist: Mrs. A. J. Gibson

SITE FOR OBSERVATORY

Part of Beacon Hill Park Suggested by Officers of Meteorological Service

Urging upon the city the advisability of granting sufficient land in Beacon Hill Park for the purpose of a site for the proposed meteorological observatory, for the erection of which the Dominion government has appropriated \$10,000, Mr. Haynes Reed and Mr. F. Napier Denison, of the local branch of the meteorological service, called upon the mayor, the city engineer, and the city council yesterday morning and discussed the matter. It was suggested by Mr. Reed that a site in the park property, opposite the South Park school, would be a favorable location. About an acre of land would be sufficient, and as the ground at that point is elevated, it would prove suitable for the work to be carried on. The importance to Victoria of a properly located and equipped observatory was enlarged upon by Superintendent Reed and Mr. Denison.

Mayor Beckwith suggested that the matter be brought before the city council in a formal communication setting forth the requirements of the government. As to the granting of part of the park property, the question of the city's power to make such a grant will be investigated and the tenure by which the city holds the property for park purposes looked into.

LOOKING INTO MINING SITUATION

After making a short but round trip to the mines of Vancouver Island, Mr. Frank Hogan, a mining engineer of San Francisco, returned to Victoria yesterday en route for home. He took the trip north in preference to remaining in California so as to have his work and play join in a happy combination, and he is returning satisfied in both respects, for he saw all there was to be seen in the mines and at the same time the sight of the new country and excellent climate.

Mr. Hogan was particularly struck with the scientific methods of mining in the mines of Vancouver Island. He confessed that prior to coming north he had an impression that he would find the mining carried on in this country in a rather crude and elementary fashion, but now he is satisfied that the mine owners of Vancouver Island are in reality behind their competitors to the south of the line.

Another thing that greatly impressed him was the seeming inexhaustibility of the supply of coal. He is satisfied that much of the country yet untapped, even in the vicinity of the big mines, is loaded with coal and ore. He admitted his academic knowledge of mining but backed it up with the representations of others more conversant with the situation whom he had had an opportunity of meeting while making his examination.

As a mining engineer he explained that the mine at Nanaimo are good for years and years to come, ensuring that city a payroll of thousands and thousands of dollars of the most desirable permanence.

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DISTRIBUTION OF HIGH CLASS SEED

How the Canadian Growers' Association Assists the Farmer to Produce Crops of Good Quality

Mr. L. H. Newman, B. S. A. secretary and treasurer of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, an organization which is co-operating with the department of agriculture in the effort to stimulate the production and selection of high-class seed, was a visitor in Victoria yesterday. During his stay Mr. Newman called on Mr. W. E. Scott, the deputy minister of agriculture, who is one of the twenty prominent Canadians on the directorate of the association. The headquarters of the organization is in Ottawa, which city is also the home of Mr. Newman.

Seen at the Empress hotel, Mr. Newman explained that he had just come to the city from New Westminster, where he judged the national products at the fair. On October 21 he is to attend the dry farming congress at Lethbridge, and he took advantage of his spare time in the interim to pay Victoria a visit.

The scope of the association's work is co-extensive with Canada, said Mr. Newman to a representative of The Colonist. "The association seeks to enlist as members farmers who desire to make a specialty of growing one or more kinds of high-class seed of one or more kinds of crop under expert direction. In this way there is created a base of supply of pure seed of high quality, which, in turn, is made the nucleus of the association's inspection and control, and made available for seeding purposes to the general farming public."

The association, which was organized in 1904, is an outgrowth of what is known as the "Macdonald Seed Grain Competition," a competition in seed growing, which began in 1900, and which continued for three years, extending over the entire Dominion.

and including, in all, about 1500 competitors. The objects of this competition was to demonstrate in a visible way the practical advantages which may accrue from the use of seed of high quality.

"The Canadian Seed Growers' Association has already obtained between 500 and 600 members, and its work is steadily spreading. What the association does is this: It assists the farmer to grow seed of fine quality and then gives him a certificate which is a guarantee of its quality. Seed of the approved varieties which has been grown and handled by the members in accordance with the rules of the association may be registered in the records of the association and receive public recognition by means of the certificates then issued to the growers."

The work of the Seed Growers' Association is financed by the government and is not a private undertaking for gain. Mr. Newman, who is one of the well posted men on the subject in the country, recently spent some time in Scandinavia gathering data on the subject of seeds, and he has recently issued a highly important pamphlet on the subject, which is being distributed under the authority of the seed association because of its great value to farmers in the Dominion.

FIRE WARDENS MEET

Report No Loss by Fire in Forests of Central and Northern Island Districts

Vancouver Island fire wardens held a conference at the parliament buildings yesterday with Chief Forester Macmillan, there being present Divisional Fire Warden Fred Marland, Fire Warden Graham Campbell Lake and Fire Warden Stillewell, Cowichan Lake.

The two latter, coming from thickly wooded districts, were able to report that there had been no fires this season of any consequence. Those that broke out were got to quickly, and as a result,

were extinguished at small cost and no loss of timber.

The wardens emphasized the amount of large timber on the limits in the central and northern parts of the island, the amount being very heavy. The actual extent of this, of course, will be accurately estimated when the survey's branch of the forest department gets around to it.

Mr. Stillewell states that there is much logging activity in the Cowichan Lake district, where the Victoria Lumber Manufacturing Company, of which Mr. E. J. Palmer is the moving spirit, has extensive limits. Contracts have been let for the construction of a logging railway into the company's limits, preparatory to logging operations.

In order to protect the forests from fire danger, Mr. Palmer has made it a condition of the contract, to be strictly enforced, that a strip one hundred feet wide on each side of the railway, logs and stumps, and the burning got rid of at once. In the opinion of the forestry officials, this will entirely prevent any danger of fire breaking out through sparks from the logging locomotives.

AGRICULTURAL AREAS

Forest Surveyors Find Rich and Extensive Belt Along the Adams River

One of the instructions given by the minister of lands to the survey parties which are at work on an estimate of the forest wealth of the province, is to report immediately on any areas of timbered land suitable for agricultural purposes, they come across.

In obedience to this, the party surveying the forest district of Struanap Lake and Adams Lake, has just reported a large belt of fertile land along the Adams river. This is from three-quarters of a mile to a mile in width, and in the neighborhood of thirty miles in length.

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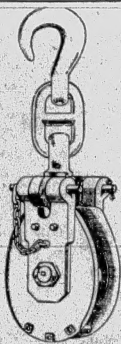
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Property Sold—Negotiations which have been pending for the purchase of 18.25 acres on Landdown road from Mrs. Thomas Nicol by A. D. Malet & Co., were completed yesterday, the sale price being in the neighborhood of \$75,000. This property was part of the estate in B.C. of the late Mr. Thomas Nicol.

Sanctuary Voters' List—Mr. William Graham, registrar of voters for the Sancho electoral district, will hold a court of revision of the register of voters under the Redistribution Act, 1902, and the Provincial Elections Act, at his residence on Tennyson avenue, in Saanich, on Monday, November 4, at 11 a.m.

Building in Oak Bay—Building permits were issued yesterday by the Oak Bay authorities to Mr. W. Easton for a six-roomed house on Hampshire road, south, at a cost of \$3000; to Mr. Thomas Grayson for an eight-roomed house on Cranmore road, at a cost of \$4000; and to Mr. R. W. Cummings for a six-roomed house on Bee street, to cost \$2500.

Suddenly Stricken—A man whose name could not be ascertained by the police, was picked up on the Causeway yesterday afternoon in an apparently unconscious condition and taken to the police station in the motor patrol. After examination by Dr. Barty he was taken to the Royal Jubilee hospital. It is believed he suffered a stroke of some nature.

Garage and Motor House—The B. C. Electric Company has had plans prepared for a two-story concrete garage and motor building to be erected on Discovery street, adjoining the car barns at a cost of approximately \$10,000. The building will have a frontage thirty feet on Discovery street and a depth of sixty feet. The permit will probably be issued today.

Dined by Conference—On the occasion of his return from a three-months' trip to the old country, his first visit to his motherland in twenty-five years, Mr. Dennis G. Cox, chief clerk in the provincial police office, was dined by his fellow members of the department on Monday evening at the Balmoral cafe, and presented with a silver mounted pipe as a mark of the esteem of his conference.

Eyes on Vancouver Island—A London firm of stockbrokers wrote yesterday to the Vancouver Island Development League requesting full particulars as to the city and province. Another letter came in from Vernon, B.C., near the Pyrenees, and a third from Victoria, both requesting general information as to prospects on the island. The rest of the mail was chiefly from the United Kingdom, embracing many counties in the south, and included inquiries from a professional nurse, a female factory hand, and a newspaper compositor.

Inspected Paving—After a day's visit to Vancouver, where they inspected the asphaltic concrete pavement being laid there by the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company, Aldermen Stewart, Dilworth, O'Neil, Gibson and Anderson, and City Engineer Rust returned to the city yesterday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mr. Rand, of the paving company's staff here. They inspected the progress of manufacture of the material laid and witnessed its laying. A number of finished streets were inspected, in company with Mr. Fellows, Vancouver's city engineer. A visit was also made to New Westminster, where the Massin type of pavement was inspected.

Inquest Adjourned—The inquest on the body of Korayta, the Japanese elevator boy, who was fatally injured on Tuesday afternoon by falling down the elevator shaft at the Pemberton block, was commenced yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, but adjourned until this morning, as no definite evidence as to the cause of the accident was forthcoming. The inquest was placed in the hands of the detective department and a thorough investigation made with the result that it is expected ample evidence showing that the death of Korayta was due to accident will be submitted. Two men, it is stated, were in the elevator at the time the boy fell out and they will be summoned as witnesses.

Arbitrating Value—The excellent agricultural possibilities of the land is one of the chief arguments advanced by Mr. William Payne, owner of twelve acres of land which the city has expropriated for a portion of the site of the proposed reservoir at Humpback Bridge, part of the Sooke Lake development work. The arbitration proceedings to fix the amount which the city shall pay Mr. Payne were commenced yesterday morning and evidence of value of such class of property was submitted by a number of witnesses. Mr. Payne claims approximately \$2000, while the city offered \$2,775. The arbitrators are Mr. J. J. Shalloos, selected by the city; Mr. W. J. Cox, by Mr. Payne; and Mr. Robert Trutt, third arbitrator. City Solicitor Robertson is appearing for the city, and Mr. J. A. Alkman for Mr. Payne. The proceedings will be continued today.

Father Vaughan at Convent—Yesterday morning at 11:30, Rev. Father Vaughan addressed the pupils of St. Ann's Convent. The children were assembled in the auditorium, and as the well-known priest made his appearance, accompanied by the Sister Superior, they stood and sang for him a song of greeting, after which he was presented with an address of welcome by Miss Mary Ellen O'Brien. To this Father Vaughan replied in a characteristic address, partly humorous and partly serious, urging the children to be true to their ideals and an honor to their families, their school and their empire. He laid particular stress on the importance of children to the empire, speaking in a more serious vein, he referred to the devotion of the Rosary. As children delighted to tell their mother how much they loved her, so they loved to repeat the greeting which the Angel Gabriel gave to the Virgin Mother, as recorded by St. Luke. At the close of his address, Father Vaughan asked the children if they would enjoy a holiday. Needless to say, all the children thought that they would, and the Sister Superior promised them the following afternoon. The gathering was brought to a close by the singing of the convent mass, and "St. Ann's" we sang.

Executive Council—There was a meeting of the cabinet yesterday, when several minor appointments and some routine departmental matters were disposed of. It is expected that some of the important appointments which the government has to make will be announced within a very short time.

Minister of Finance Back—Hon. Price Ellison, minister of agriculture and finance, returned to the city yesterday from Revelstoke, where he had opened the fair. He was also present in Vernon when T.R.H. the Governor-General, the Duchess of Cornwall and the Princess Patricia visited the capital of the fruitful Okanagan country.

Question of Pilotage—The council of the board of trade will take up the question of pilotage at the quarterly meeting tomorrow, and the discussion of the question will be the feature of the meeting. Mr. G. B. Parnard, M.P., for the city, will be present at the meeting. He is deeply interested in the question and will do all he can to give effect to the sentiments of the board, as expressive of the opinion of the merchants of the city.

Motor Flusher Arrives—The motor street flusher which the city ordered last November through the Columbia Taxi-Cab Company, of Vancouver, at a cost of approximately \$5000, has at last arrived in the city and will be given an official test this morning. Owing to the changes which had to be made in the machine at Vancouver, its delivery was greatly delayed. The machine is a large affair, which, it is believed, will materially improve the street cleaning service by its capacity and rapidity of action.

Royal Regret—Yesterday the Sister Superior of St. Ann's Convent received a letter from Miss Pelly, lady-in-waiting to H. R. H. the Duchess of Cornwall, stating their royal highnesses' regret at not having been able to visit the convent during their recent visit to the city and promising that if they visited Victoria again they would make a point of visiting the institution. In the meanwhile they sent the children their best wishes. The letter was read to the children prior to Archbishop Bruchet's address.

Beautiful Model—Visitors to the Board of Trade offices yesterday were struck with an addition that has been made to the furnishings in the shape of a beautiful model, enclosed in a glass case, of the Princess Margaret, which is being built for the Canadian Pacific by the B.C. Marine Railway Co. at Esquimalt. Her function is to take up the schedule of the steamer Toss on the West coast, which is now regarded as inadequate for the demands of the service. The model is about four feet long, and, on a given scale, represents the exact design and equipment of the new vessel; and a glance at the model will reveal the graceful lines upon the vessel that is being constructed.

Severely Struck—Driver Ernest Eve, of the headquarters fire hall staff, received a severe shake-up yesterday afternoon when a crossed wire sent in a false alarm. He was upstairs in the hall, and in running to the opening door, which the men slide to the ground floor he stumbled. He succeeded in getting his arms around the pole and retained his hold as he slid, or rather fell, to the floor beneath. He alighted upon the thick cushioning of the door, which broke the force of the fall, but the suddenness of his descent severely shook him and for a time it was feared he was injured. Medical Health Officer Dr. G. A. E. Hall was summoned from the city hall and on investigation ascertained that no bones were broken.

Sons of England—The Sons of England Football club held a social and dance in the A. G. F. hall, Broad street, on Tuesday night. John Chisholm took the chair. After the usual opening waltz Mr. Loughheed gave a song in his best style. Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Andrews sang very sweetly and were fully much applauded. The Sons' burly footballers, George Hyman and Butler Brown, late of H. M. S. Shearwater, gave some very interesting comic and stump speeches. A very good supper was served at 10:30 and then the dancing was kept up till 1 o'clock, everyone being well pleased and wishing that the best of luck in the City League. The music was supplied by Dresser's orchestra.

Will the two persons who are known to have been in the Pemberton Building elevator at the time of the accident to the attendant on Tuesday afternoon, kindly come forward and give all the information they can?—Pemberton and Son.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., October 9th, 1912.

SYNOPSIS
The pressure is high on the Oregon and Washington coast but is decreasing in northern British Columbia and Alberta; further east high areas cover Manitoba and the upper Mississippi valley states. Showers have fallen in eastern Oregon and Washington and temperatures have been moderate on the Pacific slope. In the prairie provinces the weather has been chiefly fair and colder.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	28	36
Vancouver	28	35
Kamloops	40	46
Barkerville	24	34
Calgary, Alta.	29	36
Winnipeg, Man.	24	32
Portland, Ore.	40	50
San Francisco, Cal.	40	55

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10
Highest temperature, 38; lowest, 25; average, 31.5. Bright sun 2 hours and 24 minutes.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS
Victoria, Meteorological Office, October 2nd to 8th, 1912.
Victoria—Bright sunshine, 44 hours and 36 minutes; highest temperature, 62.5 on 2nd; lowest, 32.4 on 4th; rain, 14 inch.
Vancouver—Bright sunshine, 44 hours and 16 minutes; highest temperature, 59 on 4th; lowest, 37 on 5th; rain, 18 inch.
New Westminster—Highest temperature, 62 on 2nd; lowest, 31 on 5th; rain, 14 inch.
Kamloops—Highest temperature, 70 on 2nd; lowest, 41 on 5th; precipitation, 10 inch.
Barkerville—Highest temperature, 51 on 4th; lowest, 29 on 4th; rain, 3.9 inch.
Calgary—Highest temperature, 57 on 2nd; lowest, 42 on 5th; rain, 4.02 inches.
Edmonton—Highest temperature, 50 on 4th; lowest, 22 on 1st; precipitation, 3.9 inch.
Dawson—Highest temperature, 48 on 4th; lowest, 21 on 2nd; 1st and 3dth, precipitation, 1.5 inch.

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PRETTY WEDDING CEREMONY YESTERDAY

Nuptials of Miss Myra L. Fawcett and Mr. Walter C. Shiner Are Celebrated at Dingley Dell

A very pretty and interesting wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon at Dingley Dell, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fawcett, at the Gorge, when their eldest daughter, Myra Louise (Blossom) became the bride of Mr. Walter Charles Shiner, R. M. S. Empress of Japan. Rev. T. W. Gladstone officiated. The bride, who was

for Seattle, the bride traveling in navy blue with a large blue picture hat, trimmed with a band of Oriental embroidery and a black aigrette. They will take up their residence at 507 Royal Alexandra Apartments, Bute street, Vancouver. Both received numerous handsome presents. The groom gave the bride a gold wrist watch, to the bridesmaids gold and jade brooches, to the flower girl a pearl necklace, and to the best man gold cuff links.

OBJECTS TO THREATS

School Board's Chairman Promptly Calls Trades and Labor Council Deputation to Order

When Mr. Phil R. Smith, member of a deputation from the Trades and Labor Council, which waited upon the school board last evening, relative to the recent contract for painting of the interior of the South Park school, attempted to warn the trustees that if the board continued to pursue a policy of calling for contracts of certain specifications and permitting of changes in

CROP COMPETITIONS

Department of Agriculture Draws Attention of Farmers to Conditions

Mr. W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, desires that the attention of the farmers of the province may be called to the following notice in connection with the Field Crop Competitions for next year, in order that the necessary preparations of the land may be included in their programme of work this fall. The results of this year's competition will be announced within the next few days.

The system of field crop competitions inaugurated this year and successfully organized by several Farmers' Institutes in British Columbia (under the guidance of the provincial and Dominion departments in co-operation), will be conducted on practically the same basis in 1913.

The rather late date at which, unavoidably, these competitions were announced last spring, no doubt prevented many farmers from participating, but twenty competitions, some not yet



given away by her father, who is one of the best known among the old timers in this province, looked charmingly pretty in ivory duchesse satin, embroidered in silk and pearls with which she wore an embroidered tulle veil and orange blossom and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and carnations. She was attended by her sisters, the Misses Olive and Beesie Fawcett. The former wore pale pink crepe de chine with an overdress of silver and mauve spangled chiffon, and the latter, pale blue marquisette with a cream net yoke, short sleeves edged with lace and effective touches of pink. They carried bouquets of pale pink carnations. Little Miss Blossom Barrett made a sweet little flower girl in pale blue muslin, carrying a basket of chrysanthemums. Mr. Frank Bird, of Vancouver, acted as best man. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony, which was performed in the bay window of the drawingroom beneath an arch and bell of ivy and white flowers, the rest of the room being decorated in pink and white. Mrs. Stephen Morris played the Wedding March and at the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the diningroom, which was decorated entirely in white. Flowers, where refreshments were served and Mr. and Mrs. Shiner received the congratulations of the guests. The bride also cut the beautiful wedding cake, which was a present to the groom from the stewards on the Empress of Japan. The happy pair left on the 4:30 boat

such specifications, and then when the fact of inferior work being done is called to his attention, to order payment for such work, the workmen, many of them ratepayers, might refuse to vote in favor of money bylaws for school purposes, he was promptly interrupted by Trustee Jay, chairman of the board. Mr. Jay made it clear that while the board was quite ready to hear of any complaint that the Trades and Labor Council might make it, did not propose to listen to threats. There was no reason why, if the ratepayers were not satisfied with any action of the board, they should not express their dissatisfaction by voting as they saw fit.

Some time ago the alleged failure of the contractor on the painting work was brought to the attention of the board by a deputation from the Trades and Labor Council, which submitted samples of the paint used, as evidence that the specifications as to the ingredients used had not been kept up to. After the board had been assured by certificate of its clerk of works that the job had been satisfactorily done, the contract price was paid. It was in regard to this action by the board that the deputation of the Trades and Labor Council waited upon the board last night.

Mr. Smith stated that samples of the materials used had been analyzed and found not to contain the requisite percentage of white lead. It was not fair to other contractors of the city that the specifications on which tenders were called, should be altered after the contract was let, and such a practice would not be approved by the workmen, many of whom are ratepayers and who would refuse to approve of money bylaws submitted by the board to the ratepayers if such a policy were followed. One of the painters employed on the South Park school, criticized Mr. Fairley, the board's clerk of works, declaring he is not a practical painter and therefore not competent to certify whether a painting job has been properly carried out as regards the mixing of the paint.

Mr. Fairley pointed out that part of the painting work was of such a color that the percentage of white lead required by the specifications would not have resulted in the color desired. The wall color could carry the necessary percentage as stipulated, and the samples he had taken of the material were very fair samples and would have satisfied any fair-minded man.

Trustee Jay stated that the board had had to rely upon its clerk of works. There was absolutely no desire to get anything but the best quality of work, but in view of the fact that the contractor has been paid he did not see why the board could do. However, upon suggestion of Mr. Smith, he was willing that samples left with the board at the time of the first protest by the Trades and Labor Council, should be analyzed and the results could be compared with the analysis made by the samples investigated by the Trades and Labor Council.

This will be done, the deputation expressing its satisfaction with this suggestion.

completed, were organized in various parts of the province.

It might at first appear that the benefits derived from these contests, while substantial and perhaps lasting, are yet of local value only. On realizing, however, that even during this, the first season, two hundred and sixty farmers scattered over British Columbia have been striving to reach the best results, each with a certain crop, there can be obtained some idea of the future magnitude of this work and of the valuable addition and stimulus here presented in co-ordinating efforts in agriculture throughout this province.

Competitions in 1913 will be organized and conducted as heretofore with any one or any two (but not more than two) kinds of the following crops and areas for each exhibit:

- Oats 2 acres
- Barley 2 acres
- Wheat 2 acres
- Peas 1 acre
- Potatoes 1 acre
- Turnips 1/2 acre
- Mangels 1/2 acre
- Field carrots 1/4 acre
- Fodder corn 1 acre
- Kale, thousand headed, 1/4 acre
- Alfalfa 1 acre
- Red Clover 2 acres

It is expected that a great many institutes will make entry next year, and at this moment numbers of farmers are commencing the necessary fall treatment of plots of land preparative to a good start in the competitions of the spring.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

County Court—Lampman, Co. J. Sprout v. Clarke.—This was an action to recover damages for injuries sustained by the plaintiff.

The plaintiff was driving with others in a buggy at Strawberry Vale, and the defendant, overtaking them with an auto and attempting to pass on a narrow road, ran into the buggy, causing the plaintiff to be thrown out and her hip dislocated.

Judgment was given for the plaintiff for \$350 and costs.

Mr. Thornton Fell for plaintiff; Mr. Hall for defendant.

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FORM SHOWN BY WARATAHS

Frisco Writer Says Australians Are Wonderfully Good in Open Play—Visitors Start North on Nov. 17

The Australian Rugby fifteen, which will play here some time in December, are being treated like lords in California. Every evening, if they are not traveling, they are the honored guests at some manner of an entertainment. The afternoons, if possible, they devote to practice.

The Australians have scored one victory since landing in America, defeating the Barbarians of San Francisco by a score of 29 to 8. Douglas Skelton, of the San Francisco Examiner, says with regard to the form shown by the visitors: "It would be hardly fair to take the game as a basis for passing judgment on the play of the men from over the seas. Several circumstances militated against the visitors."

"They were playing on a dirt field, something to which they are unaccustomed, and they complained that the dust, which rose in clouds every time there was a scrum or a ruck, bothered the players. Then again it was the first time the Australians had played together as a team and besides they were only two days ashore from a 28-day voyage."

Visitors Play Pretty Game

"But in spite of these drawbacks the visitors played a pretty game of football. The following up of the ball, the accuracy of the passing and the clever way in which they used their feet when the ball was in the loose, were the outstanding features of their play. In the early part of the game they beat the Barbarians on the line-outs and in looking the ball in the scrum, but toward the end of the game the same team was holding its own in these departments."

"As an exhibition of Rugby the game was worth while, and it is seldom that we have a chance to see so much open play."

"Two of the tries made by the visitors were the result of quick thinking and clever work. These two stand out as the best of the lot because the plays were unusual ones and are seldom seen here."

Big Tom Opens the Way

"Big Tom Richards, whose light enabled him to get the ball in many a line-out, was the man who opened the way for the second score made by the visitors. He caught the ball, threw it from touch, turned his back to the opposing side and punted the ball over his head. While dashed down the field, caught the ball on the fly and slung it out to George, who was jumping along close to the touch line. The quickness of the punter caught the Barbarians off their guard and George had no trouble in going over for the try."

"Jones and Carroll did a fine bit of team work when the former scored the first try of the second half. As a wind-up to a clever passing play Jones passed the ball out to Carroll and the Australian speedster dashed to the corner flag. Innell went after Carroll and made a fine tackle, but just before the Barbarian fullback, who came in contact with Carroll, the Australian snapped the ball in from close to the side line to Jones, who was backing up, and Jones, just romped over the goal line."

Known As Waratahs

Another Frisco writer describing the arrival of the waratahs, of the land of the southern cross, says: "Twenty-five husky athletes, representing the pick of the Australian Rugby football fields, stepped off the boat ready to defend the honor of their country and their title of Rugby champions of the world. Among them were Jim Clark, who is known as the Australian Waratahs to distinguish them from the Wallabies."

Excel in Other Sports

Besides being footballers, many of the team excel in other branches of sport. Swimmers are numerous, including W. W. Hill, secretary of the Australian Swimming union, who, for some years, was captain of the New South Wales champion water polo team. His brother, R. B. Hill, is another swimmer of ability, and G. Faugh, A. Walker, W. Watson, M. Fraser, Jim Clark and H. George are also experts in aquatic. Jim Clark is known throughout Australia as the Coogee beach hero, on account of having saved the lives of several people from drowning while they were surf bathing.

Accompanying the team are several visitors, including W. W. Hill, secretary of the New South Wales Rugby union. Hill is a noted referee, and yesterday consented to handle the whistle in the opening game of the series between the Waratahs and the Barbarians at St. Ignace stadium tomorrow.

G. W. Gorman is one of the original international Australian players. Way back in 1882 he represented his state in the games against New Zealand. John Mandible is still another Rugby expert with him, and John Messner also is along.

Australians Fixtures

The Australians will leave for Vancouver on November 17. They play Stanford Varsity on Saturday, October 12, and the following Wednesday, the Frisco Olympic club Saturday, October 18; the University of California, Saturday, October 26, the following Wednesday, October 31; the University of Nevada, Tuesday, November 5; the University of California,

NATIONAL COMMISSION'S FIGURES FOR YESTERDAY

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—The National Commission figures for a tie and receipts at today's game are as follows: Total attendance, 30,148. Total receipts, \$55,369. Players' share, \$3,113.24. Each club's share, \$10,506.42. National Commission's share, \$5,336.90.

Wednesday, November 13; and an all-star team in San Francisco, November 16.

The Team

Here is how the team from the Antipodes took the field against the Barbarians: Fullback, Dunbar; three-quarter, Carroll; Jones, Melbourne; five-eighths, Tasker; Prentice; half-back, Flynn; forwards, Richards, Fraser, Fyfe, Pugh, George, Griffin, Clark.

SOCIAL GATHERING OF WELSH RUGBY PLAYERS

The Victoria Welsh Rugby Club held a pleasant social gathering in their clubroom, adjoining Rendell's poolroom, last evening. Refreshments were served and an impromptu programme of songs carried out. The secretary announced that fifteen or sixteen new members had been added to the roll, which announcement, needless to say, met with vociferous applause. The club wishes to thank Jesse Evans and W. L. Bailey for cigarettes and cigars they donated.

J.B.A.A. MAY LOSE GOOD PLAYERS

Three or Four of the Best Rugby Footballers Want to Go Over to the Oak Bay Club

At a meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union last evening, applications for transfer to the Oak Bays were received from four or five players signed on with the J. B. A. A., among whom were Houston, Ken McDonald and Scott, all good men. Their applications were not granted as they had not been sent in seven days before the opening game, but it renewed it will be in order for these players to go over to Oak Bay for the second game. As it is, they must play for James Bay on Saturday or not at all.

The Outlook doesn't seem to be particularly bright for the James Bays.

They are having a hard job gathering together a team strong enough to make a showing in the league as it is. And if this is the case, they might just as well quit. The would-be deserters give as their reason for desiring to go over to the Oak Bays that the James Bays are a very weak aggregation.

However, the James Bays have announced their intention of remaining in the league, and it is just possible that they may be able to secure material for a good team after all.

Saturday's Games

Two games are scheduled for Saturday next, the opening day of the Barclay Cup League season, both at Oak Bay between the James Bay and the Oak Bays at 2:15 and the Oak Bays and Law Students at 4:30. At last night's meeting of the union, Mr. Bennett-Thompson was selected to referee the first, and Mr. A. D. B. Scott the second.

The Welsh team will be chosen from: Fullback—Leeder; three-quarter, Haydn Hill, Dai Thomas, Richmond and Wagge-Mott; half-backs—Rees and Bayley; forwards—L. James, D. Davies, W. Davies, B. Watkins, Hendry, Lomas, Campbell, Honeychurch, Lurg A. Griffiths and W. Richards. The Oak Bays will be chosen from: Fullback—Ken McDonald; three-quarter—A. H. Ackroyd, J. Gibson, W. Ross, C. Vincent and Haire; half-backs—W. Newcombe and Hewitt; forwards—J. M. Simpson, C. E. Straker, W. Day, C. B. Brown, J. Houston, B. E. Scott, A. R. Morton, J. Newmarsh, Wilson and E. Tuck. Judging from this list of names, it looks as if the Bays will be strong in the forward line, if in other department.

CONTRACTORS CAREFUL

Divisional Fire Warden in Port George District Reports on Conditions Along G. T. F. Line

That the contractors along the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway are living up to the regulations of the forest branch, and are clearing the timber and debris along the right-of-way, is reported by Divisional Fire Warden R. M. Pellatt, who is in charge of the northern part of the province, including the section of the railway line from the Grand Canyon to Fraser Lake.

Mr. Pellatt made a trip along the line for the special purpose of seeing how the contractors had been observing the regulations. He states that the debris has all been disposed of, and that extreme care was exercised in every instance in the burning of it so that the fire did not run off the right-of-way in any case. In order the better to deal with the matter Mr. Pellatt, as well as the other wardens has been given all necessary authority by the Dominion Railway Commission to act in regard to fire protection, so that he has unquestioned control.

The divisional warden will have his headquarters at Port George for the winter.

Mayes Defeated

SYDNEY, Australia, Oct. 9.—Grover Mayes, the lightweight boxer of Columbus, Ohio, was defeated on points today by Jack Reade, a local lightweight, in a 20-round contest.

Favorite for the Caesarwith, one of the classic events of the English turf, which will be run next Wednesday. A dispatch from London gives the prices as follows: Irish Marine, 9 to 1; Tara, 10 to 2; Totipot, 10 to 1; Mushroom, 100 to 1; Rathles, 100 to 1; Ullistun, 100 to 1; Bryony, 10 to 1.

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DARKNESS STOPS SIX-RUN DRAW

Giants and Red Sox Battle for Eleven Innings—"Matty" Pitched Fine Ball but Had Poor Support

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 9.—Boston and New York pitched eleven innings to a six-run draw today, the game being called owing to darkness. Over 30,000 fans turned out to watch the struggle, and the stands were a seething mass of excitement from shortly after the commencement to the finish.

With one win to work on, the Red Sox entered the fray full of confidence, while the Giants were grimly determined to even up their defeat of yesterday. Odds of 10 to 5 were offered for the American champions would win the series, and there were plenty of takers.

The great Mathewson was given an uproarious greeting by partisans of both clubs as he went out to warm up. "Matty" was greeted by a shout of opposition, the cheering and he was cheered to the echo when he entered the box.

Fletcher a Miserable Man.

Outstanding feature of the game was the miserable performance of Fletcher, the New York shortstop, and the batting of the Giant outfielder, Murray. The latter, who in two previous series never counted a safe single, Fletcher dropped a line-drive from Yerkes in the first inning, which error resulted in the Sox filling the bases with none down. Again, in the eighth inning, he allowed a hit by Gardner to get through him, and Lewis scored on the error. Tonight Fletcher is the most miserable major league player in baseball.

Mathewson pitched a fine ball, but his support was poor. He was hit by a line-drive from Yerkes in the first inning, which error resulted in the Sox filling the bases with none down. Again, in the eighth inning, he allowed a hit by Gardner to get through him, and Lewis scored on the error. Tonight Fletcher is the most miserable major league player in baseball.

Giants' Speed Not in Evidence

The New York Giants' speed on bases has not been much in evidence in the two games played. On Tuesday no bases were stolen by either team, and yesterday each made two thefts. Carrying out of four men attempting to steal second.

Matty's Pitching Grand

Mathewson got a bad start, but steadied down and pitched grand ball. With perfect support, he would have held the Red Sox to two runs at the most. His control was wonderful, not an opposing batter getting a base on balls, and his curves broke over the corners of the plate nicely.

Collins in Tears

Collins was hit fairly freely, but was not greatly troubled until the eighth, when he appeared to be breaking down. He was ordered to the bench by Stahl, and left the box with his head bowed and tears trickling down his cheeks. Hall went in with two men on bases, and Herzog's double scored a "kiss" of runs, tying up the score. Hall's control was not good, and he also was lifted in the eleventh, Bedient going in.

How Runs Were Made

Boston scored three runs in the first inning. Hooper scratched an infield hit, Mathewson being able only to knock down the ball, which he could not recover in time. Hooper stole second, Meyers' throw being wide. Fletcher dropped Yerkes' line drive, and the batter was safe. It was a miserable error by Fletcher.

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The Giants got one run back in the second, Herzog knocking out a three-bagger to right center and coming in on Meyers' hit, which struck Gardner

in the face. They cut down Boston's lead one more in the fourth, Murray getting a three-base hit to right field and scoring on Herzog's sacrifice fly to Speaker.

Boston increased their lead in the fifth. Hooper drilled out his third hit, a single to center, while second, Meyers' throw being wild, and crossed the plate when Yerkes lifted out a three-bagger to right center.

Giants in Lead

For the first time the Giants went into the lead in the eighth. Lewis dropped Snodgrass' fly, Doyle singled to center, Snodgrass taking second. Doyle was forced at second when Yerkes took Becker's grounder and threw to Wagner. Snodgrass going to third on the play. Snodgrass scored on Murray's double into the bleachers. Becker took third. Collins was sent from the box and was replaced by Hall. With Becker on third and Murray on second and Merkle at the bat, with only one out, the New York kept up a continuous cheering. Hall, carrying the first one over on a sacrifice, scored.

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MERRITT AWARDED TO VICTORIA CLUB

AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Chairman John H. Farrell, of the National Board of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, today awarded P. B. Merritt to Victoria and allowed Louisville's claim against Tacoma.

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V. A. C. PUT UP RECORD SCORE

With Total of 34 Goals to 1 Vancouver Successfully Defeated Mann Cup Against St. Kitts' Challengers

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 9.—By a total score of 34 goals to 1, the Vancouver senior amateurs successfully defeated the Mann Cup against the St. Catharines. The first match last Saturday resulted in a shutout, 17-0, and today the champions ran in another 17 goals, while St. Kitts managed to break into the score sheet once. It was more than a defeat for the Ontario champions. It was a complete rout. In retaining the silverware for another year, westerners put up a record score for a championship inter-league match.

The overwhelming victory of the Vancouver boys can be attributed to their superior knowledge of the finer points of the national game. They had the challengers beaten at every angle, and it was the best senior amateur team in the east that they trimmed so decisively. The score will not be encouraging to other teams east of the Rockies that may be thinking of migrating westward in search of lacrosse trophies. Today's match was a repetition of the first game with the exception of a lone goal registered by the challengers. They slipped one through on Jake Davis, but when the numbers went up at the finish they were shy just thirty-five goals to win. Crookall scored heavily for Vancouver again. He scored 9 goals, his record for the series being 16 goals out of 34.

The game was clean until the latter part, when both teams started to mix it up freely, but there was no extremely rough work. Vancouver players spent 50 minutes and St. Kitts players 30 minutes on the penalty bench. The attendance was 1000.

CANADIAN RUGBY FOOTBALL PRACTICE

A practice of the Victoria Canadian Rugby Club has been called for this afternoon at 5 o'clock at Beacon Hill. The following are requested to attend: Norris, Charles, Laidlaw, O'Halloran, Churchill, McIlroy, Dodd, Meakin, Burns, Vincent, Johnston, Gallon, Towne, Gallier, Willson.

Ladies' Hockey Practice

The Victoria Ladies' Hockey club will hold its first practice game on Saturday next on the Oak Bay park ground at 1:30 p.m.

B. C. H. A. WILL BE LEAGUE OF STARS

Generous Sprinkling of Top-Notchers Here Last Winter and They Will Be Added To This Season

With the return of most of last season's players certain, and Lester Patrick scouting in the east to fill the vacancies, the prospects for a hockey organization of the highest possible class on the coast this winter are very bright. Last season the league contained a generous sprinkling of stars, and in its second year two or three more at least will be added.

Lester Patrick will have exactly the players he wants when he returns from the east. Filled with the reports of the climatic battles of the coast carried back to them by the men who are in the B.C.H.A. last winter, many of the players are not even waiting to be approached with contracts, but are tendering their services voluntarily. They like the financial stability of the coast organization; they like the salaries paid, which are in excess of the salaries paid in the east, and they are sure of them when they are due; and they like the Patriotic at manager. All of which reasons are sufficient to make the Patriotic easy in their minds that they will not be faced with any trouble when they start to organize in earnest.

Of last year's players, it is certain that Frank and Lester Patrick will be in action, though both find their managerial duties strenuous enough to wish themselves out of the game. Harry Hyland and Ernie Johnson will be back with him back with New Westminster. Big Sam McLean is in Winnipeg and has written that he is only too anxious to come back to the coast. Ran McDonald spent the summer in Vancouver and has already come to an agreement with the Patriotic. Ken Maiken is also in the regional city and will be ready for the fray whenever he is called upon. The only two Westminster players of whom there is any doubt are Hugh Lehman, the premier goal-tender, and Jimmy Gardner, captain-manager. Both will be seen by Lester Patrick in the east.

Victoria's Team

Of Victoria's line-up there is more uncertainty than in the case of the two Mainland teams. Lester Patrick and Tommy Dunderdale are the only two of last season's players who are sure to represent the capital. Walter Small stated last season that he was through with hockey, and before many days have passed word should be received of the signing of a couple of others.

Vancouver's Team

Of the Vancouver team, Albin Parr is employed in Vancouver regularly and is ready to don the pads at any time; Frank Patrick, J. Griffiths, Sibby Nichols and Kenora Harris are all ready and willing, and the only player about whom there is any doubt is Neway Lalonde, who has already commenced his old tactics and has announced that he is going to sign a contract to act as playing manager of the Irish-Canadians in the Big Four. Neway will play wherever he gets the highest offer, and unless the writer is sadly out in his reckoning, he will decide to play on the coast again at the very last minute. That is if the Patriotic stand for his methods. Tommy Phillips will retire, having found that to come back to his old time form is an impossibility.

New Players Needed

Summing up there are at the outside at present about seven places to be filled by the B. C. H. A. houses and it is more than possible that finally only three or four new players will be needed.

GOLF CHAMPION IS GIVEN CLOSE RUN

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—An incessant downpour of rain at the Rosedale links today failed to dampen the ardor of the participants in the ladies' championship match.

The most interesting contest was that between Miss Ada Mackenzie, of Miss Alsea, and Miss Dorothy Campbell, of Hamilton, the champion, who has been under a physician's care since Monday. Miss Mackenzie, though a novice in big matches, gave Miss Campbell a close run. At the seventeenth hole Miss Mackenzie led by two strokes and at the eighteenth hole they were tied, Miss Campbell winning on the extra. Miss Campbell tomorrow meets Miss Nesbitt, of Toronto, in the semi-finals. Both ladies have won the championship once before, Miss Campbell having won it twice and the winner of this match will become permanent owner of the association trophy.

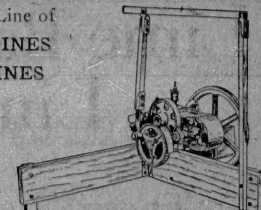
BAY RUGBYISTS ARRANGE GAME WITH MCGILL

The James Bay Rugby Club will meet a fifteen from the Vancouver McGill College at Oak Bay on Thanksgiving Day. It was thought that the Bays' annual fixture with a Vancouver team on that date would have to be postponed this season, but the Argos, who have for years opposed the local club in the game, have gone out of business. But after considerable communication with various Terminal City clubs the J. B. A. arranged to have McGill come over.

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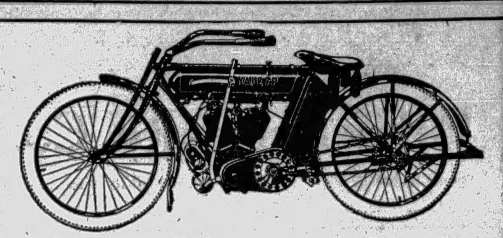
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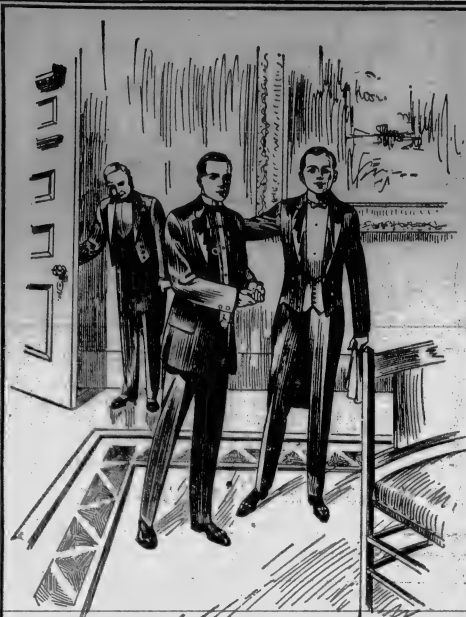
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Board Will Consider Method of Utilizing Special Training Received by Teachers Under Strathcona Trust

Cadet corps for the public schools, along lines similar to the High school cadet corps, will probably be organized in the near future in the city schools. At last night's meeting of the school board Mr. E. B. Paul, superintendent of city schools, submitted a number of recommendations as to physical training in the schools, suggesting that as the provincial department of education, under the provisions of the Lord Strathcona trust, is yearly training the public school teachers in physical drill, with a view of rendering them efficient as instructors of the pupils, the matter should be taken up now by the board.

Under the terms of the trust, the educational department has spent about \$10,000 during the past two years in giving the school principals annual military training. And, Mr. Paul believed, this training should be devoted to the purpose for which it was given, the physical training of the pupils. With the growth of the school population, it is impossible for Mr. Ian St. Clair, the present physical training instructor, to give the necessary attention to the drill of the whole mass of the pupils, but he might still continue to instruct those schools whose teachers are not yet qualified to give instruction.

Trustee Jay stated that it is possible that in a short time the Dominion government will make a grant for the purchase of cadet uniforms.

To further consider the matter, a committee, composed of Trustees Mrs. Jenkins and Dr. G. A. E. Hall and Superintendent Paul, was appointed to investigate and report. The request of Mr. A. H. Mann, cadet instructor of the High school cadets, that the board approve of the formation of a cadet corps at the Boys' Central school and the Pemberton gymnasium be allowed for drills was tabled for the meantime.

The report of the building and grounds committee recommending the purchase of lot 4, corner of Quadra and Finlayson streets, as a site for the proposed new school in that section, from Messrs. Grant & Lineham, at a figure of \$25,000, was laid over until further inspection of the sites recently offered can be made.

Inoffensive Station

Trustee Dr. Hall, at Trustee Stenland's request, explained what the city proposes to erect in the nature of a garbage sub-station on Moss street, near the Sir James Douglas school, stating that from the standpoint of the health of the pupils or nearby residents the structure would be absolutely harmless and would be so erected and placed as to be no detriment to the neighborhood in any way. Many complaints made to him concerning the station had been childish, and, beyond the fact that the name "garbage sub-station" does not appear a very attractive one, he, as medical health officer, could see absolutely no reason for any objection.

The request of the secretary of the Y. W. C. A. that the Pemberton gymnasium at the Central school grounds be granted one night in the week during the winter months for gymnastic work which the association proposes to carry on was granted.

The possibility of a shortage of coal because of the strike at the mines was the basis of the suggestion of the secretary of the board that a sufficient supply of fuel be laid in at present for the winter. The matter was referred to the finance committee of the board, which will also report upon the financial position of the new High school, for which there is now on hand but \$37,000, the debentures under the two last loans authorized by the ratepayers not yet having been disposed of. Reports of the progress of the High school building and the Burnside avenue school, now under consideration, were considered.

The annual honorarium of \$75 will be paid to Mr. Ian St. Clair for his services in instructing the school pupils in swimming.

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Stock Markets and Financial News

BALKAN UNREST AFFECTS MARKET

Another Setback in Stocks on Wall Street—U. S. Government Crop Report Shows an Immense Yield

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Foreign developments were responsible for another setback in stocks today. The Balkan situation caused demoralization in Paris, increased the uncertainty prevailing on the Berlin Bourse, and added to the state of depression in London. Selling of crops was probably due to decline in Rio Tinto in London. Dealings here showed decline to a point and over two points, the weakest being Canadian Pacific. There were some rallies during the morning, with another slight reversal at midday, but in the late afternoon, when trading was lightest, a part of the early losses were relieved. The most notable exception among the high grade issues was C. P. R., which was persistently pressed for sale, some of the offerings coming directly from Berlin. The government crop report was the feature of the final hour. The corn condition on October 1 was 52, a slight gain over last month. The indicated crop was estimated at 2,215,000 bushels, a gain over last year and almost 500,000,000 in excess of last year.

Money was firm, call loans going to six per cent before the close. A slight advance was reported in ninety day bills, with some reduction for longer periods. The foreign exchange strengthened on the European war scare. Bonds were irregular after some firmness earlier. Total sales, \$2,115,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Do. Fuel and Iron	147 1/2	146 1/2	147
Do. and R. G.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Do. do. pfd.	40 3/4	40 1/4	40 1/2
Distilled Spirit	31	31	31
Erle	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
do. 1st pfd.	54	53 1/2	53 3/4
do. 2nd pfd.	54	53 1/2	53 3/4
Goldfield Cons.	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
G. Nor. pfd.	140 1/2	140 1/2	140 1/2
Hammond	140 1/2	140 1/2	140 1/2
Illinois Cent.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Inter-Metro.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Int'l. Harvester	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
Kas. City Southern	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Lehigh Valley	176 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
Luigi Valley	176 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
Gusenheim	147 1/2	146 1/2	147
W. C. do. pfd.	147 1/2	146 1/2	147
M. K. and T.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
do. pfd.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Mt. Pacific	15 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
do. pfd.	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Nat. Ry. Cos. 1st pfd.	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Nev. Cons.	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
N. Y. and O. W.	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2

LONDON EXCHANGE

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The stock market depressed by the Balkan situation. Dearest continental houses, especially the favorites during the forenoon. Rio Tinto stamping home, Turkish bonds. Turkish stocks from 2 to three p. The weakness extended to foreign rail home securities, Canada declining 1/4. Wheat and in the absence of the market closed nervous and near lower. Monrovia bonds rose 1/2. American securities opened and from unchanged to a point lower the forenoon. Under the lead of Canada Pacific. A moderate rally on New to closing shortly after midday. The leading measure was renewed in late trading and the list declined 1/4 to 1/2.

Domestic securities were unable to stand the depression and other securities dropped in sympathy. Bulgarian government bonds rose one to three p. and Turkish government three points.

A Shipment of Women's Winter Coats

Consisting of 26 New and Entirely Different Styles, Is Now Ready for Your Inspection

A Big Shoe Bargain for Friday

NEW FALL AND WINTER BOOTS FOR MEN AND WOMEN, WORTH UP TO \$4.50, TO BE SOLD AT \$2.95

A HUGE reduction to make so early in the season, but there is a good reason for it.

An error on the part of the manufacturer, who made a duplicate shipment, and thus overstocked us for a while, is responsible for this big cut in the price. We accepted this shipment only on our own terms, and although our price offer was much lower than the regular rate, it paid the manufacturer to accept our terms, rather than have the shoes returned at his expense.

Every pair is exactly the same that we regularly stock, all are the newest lasts, are made of choice materials, and will give you entire satisfaction both in point of comfort and durability.

Notice the goods in the windows, but if you will visit the department and handle the goods, you'll readily realize that this is an exceptionally good offer in every sense of the term.



HERE ARE A FEW OF THE LINES THAT SHOULD INTEREST WOMEN

Button Boots are to be had in both black and tan calfskin, in all sizes, and are as stylish as you can wish a shoe to be.

Patent Leather Lace Boots is another pleasing line. Smart in appearance, snug fitting, and soundly constructed, are qualities that should make this line sell like the proverbial hot cake.

Lace Boots made of a good black calfskin and finished with a leather lining, is a line that should command much attention from men who must have a strong, serviceable and comfortable shoe. Then they are stylish, quite good enough for street wear.

Practically every model that can be classed as stylish and really serviceable is included in this lot, at least all the best lines that can be produced to sell in the regular way at \$4.50 are here to choose from.

Why not take advantage of this offer and make a substantial saving?

Patent Leather Boots are here in both the button and lace styles. Your choice from models with either high or low heels.

Gun Metal Calfskin Button and Lace Boots are lines that should command the attention of women who are compelled to be out when stormy weather prevails. Neat in appearance, but built to serve you well.

Four Windows Full of the Newest Styles In Women's Waists Tell an Interesting Story of Style Tendencies

WOMEN who are interested in new and dainty garments will find much that is interesting in this showing. We would like to tell you of many of the attractive features, but there are so many styles, all widely different, that it is impossible to do more than talk of them as a whole.

The exceptionally good taste, in both design and color combinations, that is shown in the garments that Dame Fashion has prescribed for this season, would stand lots of praise, and there is nothing that we can say in this advertisement that will flatter them.

In any case, it is not our opinion of them that counts. You are to be the judge in the matter of your dress, and we are satisfied that you should see them and render your verdict.

Fancy White Waists come in a great range of handsome designs, and are made of choice French voiles, marquisettes and good muslins. The trimmings are both rich and elaborate and consist of Valenciennes laces and insertions, shadow laces and imitation Irish crochet laces, clusters of pin tucking executed with a marvelous degree of skill, and rich embroideries that would do justice to much higher priced waists. High necks of laces and nets are the favored style for this season, but there are many handsome models with the moderately low neck, if you prefer them. Long and three-quarter length sleeves are to be had, and the cuffs are unusually handsome. All sizes are to be had, and the prices range from \$3.50 up to \$5.75.

Net Waists in ecru and white, made over a good ground of silk are popular lines this year, and at this store there is a very wide assortment to choose from. Some are beautifully embroidered, but there are so many choice styles to pick from that we cannot do better than refer you to the showing in the window, and invite you to visit the department and examine the garments at close range. Prices range from \$2.90 up to \$6.75.

Messaline Shirt Waists are here in the plain tailored style. They are finished with turn-back link cuffs and soft collars, while the colors are black, navy, brown and tan. It is the fine quality of the material and the excellent fit of these garments that count. Price, per garment, only \$3.50.

Striped Effects in Messaline Waists made in the plain tailored style are here, and the remarks made about the plain colored line mentioned above, hold good with these garments. Blue and white, black and white, and brown and white are the colors, and all sizes are to be had. Prices from \$4.75 up to \$6.50.

Fancy Silk Waists are to be had in dozens of artistic and pleasing styles and color combinations. The great variety of styles in which these garments come make it impossible to do them justice with a mere brief description, so we invite your inspection. Prices start at \$4.75, but there are many of the more expensive lines if you prefer them.

Now Is the Time to Prepare for Cold Nights

AND THE STAPLE DEPARTMENT IS PREPARED TO SUPPLY YOUR WANTS

MONEY invested in blankets, flannelette sheets, and comforters of sterling quality, is money well spent. Bedding that gives the greatest satisfaction is that which has the greatest warmth with the least weight, and that's just the reason why the best is the cheapest in the long run.

Heavy bedding is detrimental to your rest, the muscles are constantly strained to support the weight, and you wake up less refreshed than you should be. Good blankets, appropriate sheetings and light but warm comforters have the opposite and more desirable effect, give you perfect comfort and rest.

In purchasing our stock, we took all these facts into consideration, and have secured a fine line that we are confident will meet all requirements and give you entire satisfaction.

White Wool Blankets. Here are three different classes that are divided into various grades, so you have a nice range to choose from. They range from the light weight cotton mixtures up to the thick and fleecy all-wool lines that are so desirable. Compare the qualities we are now offering with any that you have seen marked at similar prices in the past. Light weight grades range from \$5.00 a pair down to \$3.00. Medium grades range from \$7.50 down to \$5.00. Soft and fleecy all-wool blankets range from \$10.00 a pair down to \$8.00.

Flannelette Sheets. That this line is finding a ready sale is not the slightest wonder. So soft, pleasant to the touch, light but warm, are qualities that should make this line popular even if the prices were much higher. Here are some fine values well worth investigating: Crib size comes at per pair 75c and 50c, 10-4 size at \$1.25, 11-4 size at \$1.50, and the 12-4 size is a bargain at \$1.85.

Wool-Filled Comforters. Quite a variety of cosy comforters are now waiting for your inspection, and as the prices are moderate, they should prove a temptation to even the most economical woman to add one or more of them to her stock of bedding. They come in beautiful alskotte, saten, or muslin covers, and are filled with fluffy sanitary filling. Choice colorings and designs are here, and the prices range from \$4.00 down to \$1.75.

Pillow Cases. Your choice from plain or hemstitched styles are here in a variety of qualities. There is a plain hemmed pillow case made from a strong but soft cotton, that runs at \$2.00 a dozen, and a superior line that comes in either the plain or the hemstitched finish, that is a splendid value at \$1.50. Better lines made from a good English cambric are marked at only \$2.00 a dozen, and at \$4.00 there is a very desirable line made of a heavy white cotton that is free from dressing.

Old Country Sweaters for Boys

A FORTUNATE PURCHASE GOES ON SALE FRIDAY

At, Each, 25c and 50c

OUR buyer was fortunate in securing a small shipment of these desirable goods at a remarkably low figure, and we have planned to sell them practically at cost on Friday.

The goods are now to be seen in the View street windows, and the fact that they are a bargain worth an early shopping trip is easy to be seen even by the least experienced shopper.

Knitted Cotton Sweaters of medium weight, button on the shoulder style, are to be had in colors red, brown, green and navy blue. A few fine ribbed sweaters are included, and they come in small and medium sizes. Will stand lots of hard wear and are regular values up to 75c. Friday's special.....25c
Cotton and Wool Mixture School Sweaters. These are a heavy weight, and are to be had in colors dark red, navy blue and grey with trimmed collars. They come in the pull-over-the-head style, and the sizes are for average boys from 5 to 12 years old. Price on Friday.....50c

"Hot Point" Electric Conveniences For the Home

WOMEN who are interested in appliances that will save them lots of time, labor and inconvenience will welcome this news.

A new shipment of these economical and convenient goods have just arrived and, as the prices have been revised and the appliances greatly improved, they are now well within the reach of all.

Here is a list of the goods, with a few particulars as to their varied uses, but you'll find it far more interesting if you will visit the department and see the appliances actually in use.

Let us give you a free demonstration today.

Grillers. These are combination grillers and toasters, are a handy size and have a neat appearance. A very practical and serviceable arrangement. Price.....\$8.50

Combination Stove and Toaster. All the advantages of a gas stove without any of the disadvantages. Works like magic. Price.....\$10.75

Electric Tea Maker is a great convenience. Let us show you how it works. Price only.....\$10.50

Coffee Percolators are here in two sizes. Make your coffee on the breakfast table and make it quickly without the dirt that is usually associated with a gas stove or the ordinary cook stove. Prices \$9.75 and \$14.75

Electric Toasters make good hot toast in a minute or so, and make it better than you can make it with gas or coal fires. Easy to use and so ornamental that it will grace any table. Prices \$5.25 and \$6.75

Electric Stoves that will do all the work that a gas burner will do, but have no smell and are much cleaner. They are fitted with a three-heat switch that enables you to use the full power or to reduce to power to the desired pitch. Prices \$6.50 and \$9.25

Air Heaters. Just the things to warm up a room quickly. Price \$11.75

Foot Warmers are a boon and a blessing to many. Strongly constructed, neat in appearance, effective and economical. Price.....\$5.00

Electric Comforters entirely do away with the old-fashioned hot water bottles and bed warmers. Fitted with three-heat regulator. Price only \$5.50

Electric Irons are so well known that their general use requires no description. However "The Hot Point" Iron has many advantages over the ordinary irons and comes at an easy price. Ask to see them, and we will be pleased to demonstrate these advantages. Price.....\$4.75

Men's Sweaters at \$1.00

A SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY'S SELLING

SERVICEABLE, medium weight, wool and cotton ribbed sweaters made in the coat style are to be sold on Friday at \$1.00, and they are a bargain worth getting after.

The colors are brown trimmed with green, grey with green, navy with grey, and grey with tan. All are well made, will stand lots of rough wear, and are finished with vest collar and two pockets.

It is now when you want a sweater the most, so why not investigate this offer?

The Season's Newest and Best Styles of Fine Coats for Women

ALL of these 26 styles are totally different and the sizes are well assorted. Beyond all doubt they are the most attractive garments that we have yet handled and should command much attention from women who have yet their winter coat to buy.

One style is a novelty coat made of good tweed. It is three-quarter length and has a cut-away front, patch pockets and turnback cuffs. The fastening is with three fancy bone buttons set in clusters of three, and the collar, faced with velvet, can be worn close up to the throat or showing a neat lapel effect. The color is an attractive grey with a striped effect. Price \$25.00.

New Reefer Coats come in a grey and black plaid, and plain brown blanket cloth. The material is very soft and fleecy and should prove very warm and pleasant to the touch. They are short garments with a wide belt at the back, are semi-fitting, have patch pockets and turnback cuffs. The collars are made to fasten close up to the neck or to be worn showing a neat lapel effect. Price, \$25.

Other lines come in the full length style and show great skill in design and excellent taste in color. Blanket cloths and tweeds are the materials, and there is quite an assortment of colors to choose from. Some have belted backs, some fancily stitched backs and others are perfectly plain. Excellent effects with the one-sided wide lapel and collar style are to be seen in this assortment.

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEE THE GARMENTS IN THE DEPARTMENT

Cozy Sweaters for Little Folks

THAT the children will appreciate their cosy effect is a fact that few will doubt, and as the garments have a smart and attractive appearance, and come at very reasonable prices, there should be heavy demand for them this week.

Knit-Over Jerseys that button on the shoulder are to be had in sizes for children 2, 3 and 4 years old. The colors are green and navy, and they come in a plain and serviceable knit. Price, per garment, only.....\$1.00

Fancy Knit Sweaters are to be had in colors cardinal, navy and grey. They have a little turndown collar and two patch pockets. Very warm and comfortable little garments that are remarkable values at.....\$1.25

Heavy Quality Worsted Sweaters are to be had in colors grey, navy and red in plain colors, also red with grey, navy with red, and cardinal with grey trimmings. They are finished with a V-shaped neck and have strong patch pockets. We recommend this line. The fact is that we consider them to be the best to be had at the price. All sizes for children from 6 to 10 years old. Price, per garment.....\$1.25

A Better Quality of the same line that is mentioned above are to be had with turndown collars at each.....\$1.50

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT ON THE FIRST FLOOR

DAVID SPENCER, Ltd.

Showing the Best of Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats for Men

IN the View street windows we are showing some fine examples of the skill of the modern custom tailor. The range of materials is so large, and the assortment of colorings so wide, that you will have no difficulty in finding just the suit that will give you entire satisfaction.

We guarantee a perfect fitting garment, designed with a degree of skill that should satisfy the most exacting man in town.

THE MEN'S SUITS

Various models are here to choose from, including the single and double-breasted styles, the sack style that is so popular with business men who wish a conservative but serviceable line, and the dressy semi-fitting styles that please the young men.

All sizes are here, and from such a wide assortment you should easily get full satisfaction. Prices range from \$15.00 up to \$35.00.

NEW STYLES IN MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS

Three-quarter length coats, half lined, Chesterfield style, also full length coats with shawl collars, with belted backs, are to be found in this assortment.

Some of these lines are made with neat roll collars and lapels, serviceable military and the two-way collars are also strongly represented, and in every case the garments are made to stand rough wear, give a full measure of comfort and are tailored and trimmed in a style that would do credit to the best of made-to-order garments that you could buy. Prices range from \$12.50 up to \$35.00.

Here Are Three Specially Good Lines From the Carpet Section For Friday's Selling

THERE are few people who cannot make good use of good lace curtains, serviceable oilcloth, or a substantial cooca mat. So that now that the prices are brought down to a popular level we should experience some rapid selling on Friday.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 48 inches wide and 3 yards long, are to be had in some very artistic patterns. They are made from a strong cotton, and being finished with lockstitched edges, are very strong and serviceable. There are only 128 pairs to be sold and all are white. A big value for Friday's selling at, per pair.....\$1.00

English Oilcloth. A special consignment of 1200 yards of this material is to be sold on Friday. It is two yards wide and comes in a choice assortment of floral, block and tile patterns. Being an excellent quality and having the extra advantage of being well seasoned and hard, this material will give perfect satisfaction even when used in rooms where there is lots of traffic. Having to make room for three carloads of goods that are due to arrive this week, we have decided to drop our price and make a speedy clearance. Per square yard.....\$2.50

A Special in Cooca Mats. Now is the time when you want this line. Wet weather will soon be with us to stay, and this is the style of mat that will stand rough wear and save lots of dirt from entering the home. A variety of sizes and qualities are here to choose from, and all are made from a good, bright fibre. A special is a good mat that will be sold at.....\$3.00